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DAILY GAZETTE.

THE LATEST NEWS.

Condensed Telegrams from All Quarters.

—Riel has been in Quebec for several days.

—The annual meeting of the National Academy of Sciences commenced in Washington yesterday.

—The expenditures of the Mexican Government for the present year are estimated at $23,000,000.

—The Congressional Committee on Ways and Means are in favor of abolishing the moiety system in the customs laws.

—There was a very severe snow storm in Quebec, Canada, on Tuesday, the drifts being equal to any in mid-winter.

—A. H. Bailey, County Judge of Oneida county, New York, died last Monday night. He served two terms in Congress.

—Jersey City and Hoboken flats were deeply overflowed yesterday. The occupants of houses were driven to the upper floors.

—The Berlin journals say it is probable that Herr Kanhold will be appointed the successor of Consul General Rossing at New York.

—In consequence of the inadequate salary, Commissioner Drummond, of the General Land Office, has resigned, and will retire from the office on the 1st of May.

—The Senate Finance Committee has agreed to defer action on the House free banking bill until it shall be known whether or not the President will approve the Senate finance bill before him.

—Julius P. Mason, a broker, formerly of Boston, but recently doing business in New York, cut his throat in Boston on Monday. He was thirty-two years of age. Recent unfortunate investments affected his mind.

—The case of Dr. Paul Schœppe came up in the Circuit Court in Chicago on Tuesday on an application for a writ of *habeas corpus*. After hearing the arguments on both sides the Court took the case under advisement.

—An order of arrest has been granted by Judge Donahue, in the Supreme Court of New York, against Captain Lemarie, late of the steamship Europe, on a suit for libel brought by Captain Thomas, of the steamship Greece.

—Old man Bender, now in jail in Salt Lake City, has been identified through photographs of him sent to Kansas, and will be taken there. The young man arrested as his son has been released, proving to be a deserter from the army.

—Advices from St. Thomas to the 16th inst. state that a report had reached there that the authorities of San Domingo had removed the flag of the Samana Bay Company and resumed possession of the bay and surrounding territory.

—The Senate Committee on Appropriations has decided to postpone action on the subject of the Centennial until the House shall have acted on the three million dollars bill as reported by Mr. Kelley, and made the special order for May 5th.

—The Commissioner of Internal Revenue gives notice that unless parties liable to the payment of a special tax (license) under the internal revenue laws make their return on form 11 before the 31st of May, they will be liable to a penalty of fifty per cent.

—Samuel W. Hildreth, who killed Oliver A. Doland, a fellow inmate in the Westford (Mass.) poor house, last December, has pleaded guilty to murder in the second degree, and was sentenced to imprisonment for life. Doland was seventy-two years old and Hildreth is over 70, and too badly paralyzed to walk.

—Jacmel dates of the 9th say: "The Presidential election in Hayti takes place on the 15th inst. Gen. Dominquez is raising an army with which to take possession of the Presidency by force should he fail of election. It is reported that the north is solid against him. Troops are concentrating at Cape Haytien."

—A large and influential meeting was held in Montreal, Canada, last Monday night with reference to the jury system and law of libel. Resolutions were passed condemnatory of the present jury system. A committee was appointed to prepare a petition to Parliament to amend the law increasing the qualifications of jurymen, and to make a law for libel the same as in England.

—On Sunday night last James Murphy, aged 75, his son John, aged 45, and a grandson, aged 6, in returning to their home on Silver Creek, Iowa, were caught in a prevailing snow storm, and all three perished. John and his son were found under a wagon, where they had evidently sought protection. The body of Jas. Murphy was found about a quarter of a mile from his companions.

—The Secretary of War sent to the House of Representatives, on Monday, a communication enclosing a letter from the President of the Argentine Republic, requesting that four or six young men of that country, graduates of its military school, may be permitted to enter the Military Academy at West Point at the expense of the Argentine Government. The papers were referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

—On Friday three men in a boat from the ship Zimi, outside of the bar at South West Pass, at the mouth of the Mississippi river, started for the telegraph station. A sudden squall came on and they were blown to the westward. The first officer of the Zimi, seeing their helpless condition, immediately dispatched the captain's gig, with six men to rescue them. Both boats were blown to sea and have not been heard from since.

—At the first meeting of the creditors of the Atlantic Delaine Co., at Providence, on Monday morning, it was voted to place the property in the hands of a trustee, to act under the inspection and direction of a committee of creditors, as provided in the 43d section of th[e] ... bill. Robert H. ... [illegible] ...e bankrupt ... Northam was nominated for trustee, and James Y. Smith, Royal C. Taft and Geo. C. Nightingale were selected as a committee of creditors, subject to confirmation by the court. The amount of claims presented was $2,100,000.

—The House Committees on Appropriations and Commerce held a joint meeting on Monday on the subject of the proposed continuance of the contract with the Pacific Mail Steamship Company for a semi-monthly mail service between San Francisco and China, at an additional subsidy of five hundred thousand dollars per annum. It was agreed that each committee appoint a sub-committee of three, who in connection with a sub-committee on Postal Affairs, will consider the subject and report to their respective committees what action should be taken. The Secretary of the Navy will also be invited to express his views.

THE RIVERS.

NASHVILLE, April 21.—The river has declined six inches in the past twenty-four hours; forty-eight feet on the shoals. Weather clear and pleasant. Arrived—Phillips, Smithland. Departed—Little Condor, Kanawha river; Burksville and Tom Reese, Upper Cumberland.

CAIRO, April 21.—Arrived—Mollie Ebert, St. Louis, noon; City of Vicksburg, Vicksburg, 1 P. M.; Ben Franklin, Cincinnati; City of Chester, St. Louis, 7. Departed—Mollie Ebert, Pittsburgh, 1 P. M.; City of Vicksburg, St. Louis, 2; Franklin, Memphis, 4; Quincy, New Orleans, 5. River risen 7 inches. Cloudy; Mercury 60.

ST. LOUIS, April 21.—Arrived—Rob Roy, Keokuk; Lady Lee, Illinois river; Eckert, Cairo; Kyle, New Orleans; Grand Tower, Memphis; Petrel, Peoria; Minneapolis, Dubuque; Savannah, Lower Rapids. Departed—Rob Roy, Keokuk; Jasper, Cincinnati; Rock Island, Reed's Landing; Florence, Illinois river. River rising fast. All the upper streams are swelling. Cloudy and warm.

LOUISVILLE, April 21.—River rising, with 17 feet in canal, and 15 feet in chute on Falls. Weather clear. Business active. Boats Up—Kittie Hegler, to Cincinnati; J. D. Parker, to Cincinnati; Ashland, to Cincinnati; Allegheny Belle and barges, to Wheeling; Iron Mountain and barges, to Pittsburgh. Boats Due—Messenger, to Nashville; Esperanza, to Cincinnati. The Houston leaves for New Orleans to-morrow. The Robert Mitchell goes on Saturday. The Camelia, from Cincinnati to Nashville, sunk in forty feet of water at Raleigh last night. The boat and cargo are a total loss. No lives were lost. She was ten years old, owned here by Captain Oram and D. Harper, and valued at $3,000. There was no insurance on the boat, and only a partial insurance on the cargo.

The Steamer Camelia Sunk.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., April 21.—The Camelia was perforated by a floating log which caught between her and the bank at Raleigh at six o'clock last night, and immediately went to pieces and sunk in forty feet of water. The boat and cargo are a total loss. No lives were lost. The officers and crew arrived here by the Red Cloud, entered a protest and proceeded to Louisville by the Arlington. The cargo was valued at $60,000; insured in Cincinnati and Louisville. The boat was uninsured, and owned by Captain Leo Crane and William Varble. She was valued at $30,000. The officers and crew lo[st] most of their effects.

Destructive Fire in Richmond, Va.

RICHMOND, VA., April 21.—A fire broke out at nine o'clock this evening in the upper story of the main building of the extensive flouring mills known as Columbia Mills, and owned by Haxall, Crenshaw & Co. It destroyed the principal buildings, three in number, including an immense amount of machinery, much of it new, and a large quantity of grain and flour. The total loss is estimated at $500,000.

FIRST EDITION.

HARRISBURG.

A Batch of Bills Passed Finally—Discussing the Bill for Taxing Corporations—Both Houses hard at Work—The Work of the Pardon Board.

Special to the Gazette.

HARRISBURG, April 21, 1874.

SENATE.

Bills Passed Finally.

The Senate was engaged in passing bills finally this morning. Among them were the following:

An act relative to the transfer of loans of the Commonwealth and the City of Philadelphia.

An act amending the fish and game laws.

An act granting the acquisition of certain lands of the United States for erecting light houses thereon.

An act requiring all reports heretofore made to the Auditor General, to be made to the Secretary of Internal Affairs.

An act making an appropriation to the State Lunatic Hospital at Harrisburg.

An act to prevent the defilement of the water in ponds, streams, &c., that were used for the production of ice.

To provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations.

For the protection of mendicant and vagrant children.

The appropriation for the Western Penitentiary.

Establishing separate Orphans' Courts in counties having more than 150,000 inhabitants, and to provide for the election of judges.

The Corporation Tax.

The afternoon session of the Senate was principally occupied with a discussion on the bill to provide for the taxation of corporations. There was quite an earnest discussion on this matter, and the Senate manifested a very decided desire to dispose of the business without further delay.

Senator RUTAN took the lead in advocacy of the bill. He said it had been very carefully prepared by the Attorney General, and he thought it covered all the points in the case. It was also satisfactory, generally, to leading corporations upon which the great burden of the tax would fall. The matter must not be delayed longer. The new Constitution had wiped out $1,410,000 of the State's revenues received last year from corporations, and this deficiency must be made up. It could be made up either on real estate or on the corporations. If the Senators were prepared to put the tax on real estate, they could reject this bill. If they were not prepared to make real estate shoulder the burden, then they must accept the bill. The issue was plainly before them and a decision must be made at once.

Senator WALLACE dropped in here with an amendment, exempting bituminous coal companies from the provisions of the bill.

This was opposed on the ground that it was unconstitutional, and that its adoption would render the whole bill inoperative because unconstitutional. The new constitution provides that the taxes on corporations shall be uniform, otherwise the tax cannot be collected.

This view of the amendment was not denied, and under such a construction it was defeated by a vote of 24 to 5.

HOUSE.

The House this morning resumed consideration of bills on the third reading, and passed finally the following:

An act exempting from taxation public property used for public purposes; places of public worship; places of burial not held for profit.

An act authorizing cities and boroughs to purchase the corporate rights of gas, water, and fire companies.

An act to prevent corrupt attempts to influence public officers.

"Militia Supplement" Killed.

A further supplement to the militia act was called up and killed.

The act defining the liability of stockholders in banking institutions was postponed.

Taxing for Roads.

The act levying taxes for State roads in boroughs and townships was passed finally.

The act regulating the inspection of salted fish was passed finally.

Titles to Real Estate.

The act perfecting titles to real estate under sales made by executors was called up, and occupied the entire afternoon session.

ARCTIC.

The Pardon Board.

Since the organization of the Pardon Board, eighty-three applications for clemency have been heard. Of this number about one-fourth have been granted.

Among those which have just been granted are the following of interest in Western Pennsylvania:

John Kissner, of Washington county, sentenced to prison for six months for assaulting a young man during a disturbance. Kissner had served three months for the offense, and his pardon was recommended by Judge Acheson.

James D. Lewis, of Crawford county, sentenced on January 10, 1871, for four years and ten months, for forging a check for forty dollars. The pardon was granted on the ground that Lewis, who is a young lawyer, had served over three years, gave abundant evidence of reform, had a mother whose life was jeopardized by his imprisonment, and because he was recommended for executive clemency by the prosecutor in the case.

The death-warrant of Ambrose E. Lynch of Pittsburgh, has not been signed, as his case goes before the Supreme Court on a writ of error. The case of Udderzook of Chester, also goes before the Supreme Court.

A Touching Case.

The death warrant of Frederick Heiderblut, who committed a horrible murder in Philadelphia recently, to which he has confessed, has been stayed to enable the convict's mother, who lives in Germany, to see her son before he expiates his crimes on the gallows. Money has been raised to pay her transportation.

FORTY-THIRD CONGRESS.

FIRST SESSION.

WASHINGTON, April 21, 1874.

SENATE.

Relief for Sufferers by Inundation.

Mr. WOODLEIGH, from the Committee on Military Affairs, reported without amendment the House bill for the relief of persons suffering by the overflow in the Mississippi river, and asked its present consideration.

Mr. EDMUNDS submitted an amendment providing that the provisions of the act shall expire on the 1st of September, 1874. Agreed to.

The bill was then passed.

Louisville & Portland Canal.

Mr. SCOTT called up the bill providing for the payment of the bonds of the Louisville & Portland Canal Company, the question being on agreeing to the amendments of the House as amended by the Senate.

After considerable discussion, Mr. CONKLING moved to reconsider the vote by which the amendments of the Finance Committee to the House bill were agreed to several days ago, and said these amendments were concurred in early after the meeting of the Senate and before a number of the Senators were in their seats.

The vote was reconsidered, and the question then recurred upon the amendment of the Finance Committee to strike out the amendment in the House bill that the canal should not be taken possession of nor any money paid till the State of Kentucky should cede to the United States the jurisdiction over the same, together with the right to tax property, and it was adopted by yeas 40, nays 4.

The bill now goes back to the House for the concurrence of that body.

The Louisiana Bill.

The Senate resumed consideration of the Louisiana bill, upon which Mr. Stockton was entitled to the floor.

Civil Rights Bill.

Mr. FRELINGHUYSEN said he gave notice a few days ago that he would call up the Civil Rights bill to-day. He now gave notice that he would call it up as soon as the pending bill should be disposed of.

Thanks to Sailors.

Mr. CAMERON reported favorably on the joint resolution extending the thanks of Congress to Captain Benjamin E. Gleadell and the officers and crew of the steamer Atlantic, of the White Star line, for rescuing the officers and crew of the brigantine Scotland, of Portland, Maine, in mid-ocean. Passed.

Army Promotion.

Mr. LOGAN, from the Committee on Military Affairs, reported favorably on the bill to authorize promotion in the Inspector General's Department of the army. Placed on the calendar.

Mr. Stockton yielded for an executive session, and the Senate soon adjourned.

HOUSE.

Bills, Resolutions, etc.

Mr. RANDALL introduced a bill directing the temporary suspension of the Legislature of the District of Columbia. Referred.

The Committee on Indian affairs reported a bill extending for one year from the passage of this act the time for completing entries of Osage Indian lands in Kansas. Passed.

Mr. HURLBUT, from the Committee on Railways and Canals, submitted a long written report on the bill to charter a double track freight railway company from tide water on the Atlantic to Council Bluffs, on the Missouri river, and to limit the rates of freight thereon. Ordered printed and recommitted.

Mr. COBB, from the Committee on Postoffices and Postroads, offered a resolution for the printing of the testimony taken before that committee and the Committee on Appropriations on the question of additional mail service to China and Japan. Adopted.

Mr. MOREY, from the Committee on Mississippi Levees, reported a bill to provide for the appointment of a commission of engineers to report a permanent plan for the reclamation of the alluvial basin of the Mississippi river subject to inundation, and he proceeded to address the House in explanation and advocacy of it.

After discussion, in which Mr. Millard, of Texas, opposed the bill for proposing to tax the whole people for the advantage of the owners of these alluvial lands, the bill went over till to-morrow.

The Senate amendment to the bill for the relief of sufferers by the inundation by the lower Mississippi was concurred in.

Appropriations.

The House, at two o'clock, went into Committee of the Whole, Mr. Woodford in the chair, on the Legislative, Executive and Judicial Appropriation bill.

About an hour and a half was spent in discussing the question of the pay of gaugers under the internal revenue laws. The bill contained a proviso that the maximum pay shall be five dollars per day.

Mr. BANNING moved to strike out this proviso, and on this the discussion proceeded, the most notable things said being an assertion by Mr. Foster that while the members were very ready to practice economy against clerks in the departments, they were not so ready to do it against the officeholders in their respective districts, and a statement of Mr. Sypher that the influence of Cincinnati distillers was exercised periodically for the purpose of closing up New Orleans distilleries so as to get control of the whisky market.

Finally the motion to strike out was lost, but a motion to substitute seven dollars for five dollars a day, made by Mr. Ward, was carried.

An amendment offered by Mr. Dunnell to substitute for an item of $200,000 for postage stamps for the Treasury Department an item of $5,000 for the cost of furnishing official postage stamps was ruled out of order by the chairman, on the ground that the amendment conflicted with the law abolishing the franking privilege, and an appeal having been taken, the decision was sustained—110 to 38.

At this point, and after having got through only one page of the bill, the committee rose. The slow rate of progress made on the bill thus far has been chiefly owing to the difficulty of getting a quorum to vote on any proposition. Much time has been wasted in this way and in the resulting necessity of having the roll called. The bill contains seventy printed pages, and although it was reported over two months ago, and has been under consideration four or five weeks, only the twenty-second page has been reached.

The House, at a quarter past five o'clock, adjourned, the last roll call having shown that there was no quorum present.

BEAVER.

"Saint's Rest" in a State of Unrest and Disquiet—The People Groan for Gas—Preliminary Steps Toward the Formation of a Company—Col. Quay to Rebuild—The "Argus and Radical"—Beaver's Water Privileges.

Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Gazette.

BEAVER VALLEY, April 21, 1874.

Longing for Gas.

"Saint's Rest" is in a harrowing state of unrest and disquiet. It really seems as if there were nothing that will satisfy the insatiate longings of that town. The people thereof do not seem to take into account that they have the county's capitol buildings; that they had a real live fire but a short time ago, nor does the fact that a new "organ" for the dissemination of pure Republican gospel and the instruction of the people in that faith, has made its appearance, seem to satisfy that town, for it is not yet happy or contented. They groan for gas (*i. e.*, for illumination purposes.) Ever since the twin sisters of the valley, the unpretending little towns of Beaver Falls and New Brighton, have enjoyed the supreme luxury of gas and banishment of "dips," that capital city of ours has been in a state of turmoil and agitation, amid much groaning of spirit. And now they are proposing to have gas there, to lighten their benighted pathway. I have been credibly informed that the leading citizens of the place have taken the preliminary steps toward the foundation of a company to erect the works, &c., and a large part of the stock has already been subscribed, and that, too, without much effort or any noise whatever.

The People of Beaver.

The people there are a deep people—not hollow people, mind you—but a deep people, and though slow, when they do move, their action is like that of the father of waters, resistless onward and generally upward. Just where these innovations in our valley are going to stop, is entirely beyond my comprehension. It does not seem enough that we should cut loose from all our old landmarks and destroy the monuments of our fathers' greatness, but we must even build upon their ruins the results of modern thought and skill. But we are readily adapting ourselves to the new order of things. We feel ready to sacrifice personal feeling for the good of this dear people, and rising above mere prejudice and selfishness, hail the day when our valley shall rise before us, clothed in power and prosperity, and smiling beneath her crown of blessings. It was once said of (and by) a renowned rural journalist of Western Pennsylvania, "Could I but live to see good, old honest John Covode," I should be willing to depart and be at rest;" and when the happy hour arrived that he was permitted to take his turn in shaking the hand of that sturdy legislator, he fervently and reverently uttered the historic words of good old Simeon, though truth bids me say that he persists in not departing. Well, I do think, were the happy hour to come when we should witness our valley, and especially Beaver, of course, arrived to the full power of prosperity, that many of us would be perfectly willing to imitate the example of this rural journalist.

Col. Quay's New Building.

But I forgot, I am not quite done with Beaver yet. Colonel Quay proposes the erection of another building in the place of the one lately burned. It will be somewhat similar in style, I believe, though modeled more to his taste than the former one.

"Argus and Radical."

The *Argus and Radical* is now in far better condition as respects its office fixtures, etc., than it has ever before been. The new material is first class, and it is certainly now the best fitted office in this whole region—outside of Pittsburgh, being always understood.

Beaver's Water Privileges.

Since the completion of the water works system in Beaver, it has the best water privileges in Beaver Valley. The water is carried from a spring a short distance from the town, is pure and clear as crystal.

On the whole, I think there is a decided increase of the spirit of improvement in the town, which will in the end give to us one of the coziest and pleasantest little cities in all Western Pennsylvania. You people who are compelled to submit to bare brick walls and grassless and treeless avenues during the summer season, and who have the time to make their residences out of the city, would do well to take a look at Beaver, and then get houses that will satisfy you in every particular. It is easy of access to your city by trains almost hourly, and ... doubt one of the most beautiful and beyond ... [illegible] ...r Allegheny and healthful places in Beav[er] ... counties. That's all. BEAVER.

OUR TIDIOUTE LETTER.

Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Gazette.

TIDIOUTE, April 20, 1874.

MESSRS. EDITORS: I promised to keep you posted on the doings and prosperity of this part of oildom. Business is dull, and but little doing, but we manage to pump enough of the greasy fluid out of the surrounding hills to keep our heads above water; and with the help of the collateral that our lumbermen will fetch back with them from your city, we will be able to live until roasting-ear time comes. The lumbermen have been waiting patiently for a rise in the Allegheny. So, after long waiting, it has come at last, and a large number of rafts have passed down the river. The fast sailing raft "Perry Shaw" set sail from here on the 17th at 6:30 A. M. for Pittsburgh. On board of this vessel there sailed as cabin passengers, Messrs. Binney, Copp and Cushing, on a pleasure trip, and if no collisions occur by the time you receive this they will be in your city; so, if you should happen to see them promenading on Fifth avenue, don't fail to give them a DAILY GAZETTE, for it is just the paper they will want to tell them where to go to purchase gimcracks for their Mariah Jane. In my next I will let you know the result of this first cruise on the wild Allegheny.

The past week, Professor Ray, a would-be mesmerist, has been exhibiting his powers in the art of making people drunk on cold water, &c. This to the lovers of the ardent was a God send, for if they could not get tanglefoot they would be willing to try cold water if it would have the same effect, but it was no go, water would not warm the blood nor put snakes in their boots. So the cry was raised humbug, swindle, let's flower him, &c. So the professor thought it was a healthy time to get and he getted, and now there is mourning by the parties who held tickets good for two nights more.

The temperance question has been quietly settled and a truce entered into; but the battle is not yet over, for daily there come by express jugs labeled maple sirup; said jugs contain tanglefoot of the worst kind. Then kegs arrive with three XXX on the end. When these kegs arrive at the depot, sharp watch is kept by the thirsty to see where they go to; woe be to the luckless wight who receives said keg or jug, for he is immediately brought before Judge Johnston and tried by jury for not asking the thirsty to come and take something. The result is a fine of a glass of ale or tanglefoot for each juryman and officer of the anti-coldwater court, and by the time the court gets through there is not much sirup left for the victim. B. F.

BEAVER FALLS.

Business Prospects—Manufacturing Interests—Educating the Chinamen.

Correspondence of the Pittsburgh Gazette.

BEAVER FALLS, PA., April 20, 1874.

The Spring is opening rather slowly as far as the weather is concerned, but business is steadily improving. Our manufacturers are running as before the panic set in last Fall. Business generally is looking up. Various improvements are being made about the streets. Much interest is felt among the people regarding the probability of other manufacturing interests being opened here this Spring and Summer.

Our "Celestials" are at their work as usual. The Sabbath school for the Chinamen is still kept up. From twenty to twenty five of them can read (English) in the second reader. Mr. Fife and his faithful teachers deserve great credit for their untiring zeal and patience in their labors to educate and Christianize these dark-minded human beings. All discord among themselves, and all debts are forgiven and canceled once a year. Whatever their variance may have been, nothing more is heard of it after their new year's holidays are past. W.

SECOND EDITION.

Four O'Clock.

THE CAPITAL.

The Arkansas Imbroglio.

Federal Interference Asked.

Important Cabinet Meeting.

The Senate Finance Bill Discussed.

Report on Cheap Transportation.

Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Gazette.

WASHINGTON, April 21, 1874.

The Arkansas Imbroglio

is the all absorbing topic. At the regular Cabinet meeting to-day the Arkansas Attorney General, Yanley, accompanied by the entire Arkansas Congressional delegation except Wiltshire, were admitted, when they asked the use of the National troops to preserve peace. In other words they want the United States troops to prevent Baxter from retaking the State House, which they admit he can do if the President declined to let the troops interfere actively for Brooks, but consented to keep them in the present position another day, when it is hoped some compromise will be effected. The principal fault found with Baxter is that he did not make appointments to suit the Arkansas Congressmen, hence they want him out, and ask the President to prevent his getting back. Baxter's friends ask to have the United States troops withdrawn and the privilege of settling their little differences directly with the troops without outside interference.

The Finance Bill.

It was developed at the Cabinet meeting to-day that four members of the Cabinet favored the finance bill now before the President. It will become a law, either with or without the President's signature.

Louisville & Portland Canal.

After a long debate, Senator Conkling was only able to muster four votes against the Louisville Canal bill. It was passed without the Wheeler proviso. The House will unquestionably concur—so the bill will become a law this session. DIAMOND.

WASHINGTON, April 21, 1874.

The War in Arkansas.

The Arkansas Congressional delegation, together with three contestants for seats in the House, representing all parties, had an interview with the President to-day, in the presence of the Cabinet, relative to affairs in Arkansas. They urged the President to maintain the position he now occupies, to take all proper measures to prevent a collision and bloodshed, and let the matters in controversy be settled by the Courts. These gentlemen received a patient hearing, and were assured that everything compatible with law and the delicacy of the affair would be done in the direction of peace. They retired much gratified with the interview. One of the gentlemen stated that the Secretary of War had received a dispatch from Arkansas. There were indications that some arrangement would be made by the contesting parties to end the hostile demonstrations.

Utah Affairs.

Representative Poland reported from the Judiciary Committee to-day a bill relative to the Utah Courts. It provides that United States Judges, Marshals and Attorneys shall discharge the duties pertaining to all the Courts, thus dispensing with the duplication of such officers by the Utah Legislature, and as a consequence depriving the Probate Court of civil and criminal jurisdiction, which it has exercised under Mormon authority and in conflict with that of the United States. The bill also makes a change in the mode of the selection of jurors. The United States Judge, the Clerk of Court and Marshal are required to draw jurors from lists prepared in the manner specified, free from Mormon influence. Mr. Poland will call up the bill in a few days.

The Senate Finance Bill Discussed at the Cabinet Meeting.

There was another long session of the Cabinet to-day on the Senate finance bill. All the members were present, but after the meeting they declined to converse on the question they had been discussing, nor would they intimate whether or not the President will approve the bill. It is confidently said, however, by several gentlemen of official prominence that the President was at first inclined to veto the bill, his objection being mostly confined to the first section of it, but the probability now is that he will approve it, as all the members of the Cabinet, except Secretaries Fish and Richardson, favored such a course on his part.

Cheap Transportation.

The report submitted to the House to-day by Mr. Hurlbut on the bill to charter a double track railroad recites various features of the existing railroad system, and says the company proposing to build this great freight railroad will accept the fair rates of freight agreed upon by the committee—fifteen cents per bushel from Chicago, eighteen cents from St. Louis, &c. The company asks the Government to guarantee its five per cent. bonds at the rate of $20,000 per mile, and while the committee is not in favor of railroad subsidies, it thinks it proper that the matter should be fairly submitted to the American people. It therefore reports the bill without any recommendation.

Alleged Irregularities in Mail Lettings.

The House Committee on Postoffices and Postroads had a meeting to-day relative to the charges made of alleged irregularities in connection with mail lettings, and &c., and adjourned till Friday. It is stated by members of the committee that the troubles of which complaint is made seem to result from defects in the law designed to prevent "straw bidding," and do not involve any intentional wrong-doing by the department. It is also stated that many, if not all, of the charges presented by Representative Stone were investigated by the last Congress, and that the majority report of the committee at that time fully exonerated the department.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, April 21, 1874.

Two Collisions in the Harbor.

The steamer Electra, of the Providence and New York line, and the steamer City of Boston, [of] the Norwich line, while rounding the Battery ... [illegible] ... endeavoring to escape into the East river, ... with each a collision with a ferry boat, collided ... other. The Electra struck the City of Boston amidships, bursting her larboard boiler and cracking her steam pipes. Nobody was hurt. The passengers of the City of Boston were transferred to the steamer Rhode Island. The City of Boston was towed to her dock, where she will discharge and repair. The Electra, which had her bow badly smashed, returned to her dock and forwarded her passengers by another boat to-night.

During the excitement in the harbor over the accident, the steam tug S. J. Christian was sunk by the tug Camilla, while both were going to the assistance of the City of Boston. The crew was saved.

Reception to Sir Lambton Lorraine.

The reception to Sir Lambton Lorraine, at the Army and Navy Club to-night, was a very fine affair. At about half-past nine o'clock the guest arrived, accompanied by Captain G. Jones, of the Royal Navy, and at present attached to the British Legation at Washington. Captaine Lorraine was introduced to General Hancock, President of the club, by General Aspinwall, chairman of the Committee of Arrangements. General Hancock, in tendering the hospitalities of the club, said he spoke for the American soldiers in saying that the name of Lorraine would be honored as long as noble deeds were worthy the plaudits of honorable men.

In reply Capt. Lorraine expressed his gratitude for the treatment he had received in the United States. He did not believe in twaddle about blood being thicker than water, but he believed that the English and American people appreciated each other.

Letters regretting their inability to be present were received from President Grant, Admiral Porter, Secretary Robeson, General Sherman and others. A large number of prominent public men were present.

CLEVELAND.

Sailors' Riot.

CLEVELAND, O., April 21.—This forenoon a body of between two and three hundred unemployed sailors boarded the schooner Eliza Gerach, moored in the river bed, and compelled the crew to quit work and leave the vessel. They then proceeded to the schooner Wm. Young, and endeavored to repeat their tactics by going aboard on ropes leading from the shore to the boat. The captain endeavored to protect the boat, and was met with a shower of missiles and a number of pistol shots from the rioters. He in turn fired into the crowd, a number of shots taking effect. George D. Amotos was wounded in the breast. The wound will doubtless prove fatal. Another was shot in the knee and a third in the arm. A posse of policemen arrived and the leaders of the riot were arrested. The rest dispersed. The origin of the riot is due to a strike among some of the sailors, who demand an advance in wages from $1.75 to $2.00 per day.

THE FLOOD.

The Amite Valley Under Water.

NEW ORLEANS, April 21.—Captain Porter, of the steamer Alice, reports the whole Amite Valley under water. The river generally has a bank of twelve to fifteen feet, but now the water is four feet deep over the banks, and has washed away houses, implements, &c. The inhabitants have fled to the highlands, where they now abide in a destitute condition.

The Crevasses.

General M. Jeff Thompson, Chief State Engineer, sends the following dispatch to the Associated Press from Baton Rouge to-day: "The Hickey crevasse is twelve hundred feet wide, and passes seven feet of water at a velocity of eight miles per hour. The two McCullen crevasses are each one hundred and fifty feet wide, but will be closed in a few days."

ARKANSAS.

The Baxter-Brooks War.

Hostilities Inaugurated.

Two Hundred Shots Fired.

Several Persons Wounded.

An Armistice.

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., April 21.—Gov. Baxter's forces were increased by the arrival of several companies this morning. The State House party also received some reinforcements. One company of U. S. troops is now stationed at City Hall. The others are back on Sixth street, and the cannons have been withdrawn to a more eligible position. A temporary armistice is now in force. Baxter's troops can hardly be held. Although quiet prevails and an armistice is in force, an outbreak may occur at any hour.

Evening.—Since the truce this morning but little of interest has transpired. It was only by diligent watching that a conflict was prevented last night. One or two companies have arrived since the last report. One company of the Federal forces is now stationed at the U. S. Court room, with two pieces of artillery, commanding Main street. Another company is at the City Hall, lying on their arms. On making

A Reconnoisance

of the two sides a heavy guard was found stationed at Governor Baxter's headquarters at the Anthony House. Just opposite a company was stationed in the Walt block, another in the second story of the Odd Fellows building, a regiment two squares below on the same street, and another regiment on Scott street, between Second and Third. A battalion of colored troops was stationed on Second street. Several of Baxter's men who were caught beyond Main street, were arrested and taken to the State House; among others, one of the Governor's aids, Colonel Pomeroy. On the other and, several of Brooks' men, who encroached on Baxter's line, were arrested and disarmed. Moses Reed, the son-in-law of Brooks, was taken in about one o'clock this morning at the Cairo & Fulton Railroad depot by a detachment of Baxter men. At

The State House

no guards were to be seen outside of the enclosure. Inside the barricade a large number, 200 perhaps, of negroes were seen, among them a few colored women. Considerable additions were made to their commissary department. A few men could be seen in rear of the building, but the main force were in front. Occasionally the head of a man could be seen in one of the upper windows.

More Troops Coming.

It is stated here that more Federal troops will arrive in the morning. This makes the Baxter men anxious to advance before sufficient troops arrive to prevent it. It is said a boat load of Brooks men is coming from Pine Bluff, and that Baxter's troops will capture it if it attempts to land.

Spoiling for a Fight.

About five o'clock the colored troops under command of Col. King White paraded the streets, preceded by a brass band. After marching around several streets they were halted in front of the Metropolitan Hotel. The band played a lively air. The troops fronted the hotel and yelled for Gov. Baxter. He appeared on the balcony and made them

A Speech

amidst the wildest cheers. He stated that an insurrection has broken out and the archives of the Government were in the hands of the insurgents, and that they had been called together for the purpose of vindicating the rights of the people of Arkansas, not the rights of Elisha Baxter. He stated that he was making preparations for and intended to assert his rights as Governor of the State. He counseled them to be patient and quiet, to conduct themselves orderly, and in due time the proper order would be given them to assert the rights of the people.

At the close of the speech the band played "Red, White and Blue." By this time the street above the head of Col. White's column, at the intersection of Main and Markham streets, was filled with men, principally Brooks' sympathizers, who were looking on. The sidewalks also were crowded, and the upper stories of all buildings around either had armed men in them or citizens. Col. Rose was sitting on his horse in the centre of the street. When the band ceased three cheers were given for Col. White, and he made a short speech. Addressing the Governor, he stated that the colored men had come here to see that Baxter was reinstated in the State House, and let it take one day or one year, they would stand by him. All they prayed for were orders to take the State House.

At this there was again the wildest cheering and the band commenced playing. Just then Col. Rose rode up to Col. White, and said something to him about making

A Hostile Demonstration.

Just then some one in one of the upper buildings fired a shot into the Baxter crowd, which was rapidly followed by others from the direction of the crowd standing in the street near the Metropolitan Hotel. This action caused the Baxter men to return the fire. The colored troops rapidly retreated from the streets, and the firing was very lively for a few minutes, the Baxter men running up the street and the others giving away. Amidst this Colonel Rose rode rapidly to the City Hall, called out his company, barricaded the street temporarily with a hook and ladder truck, and formed his men behind it across the street in solid column, to prevent an advance by the Baxter men. About

Two Hundred Shots

were fired. The streets were cleared of men in a short time. Several Baxter men were wounded, Maj. D. F. Shall, who was at the Anthony House, receiving a wound in the head, from which he is not expected to recover. General W. A. Crawford received a painful wound on the head, though it is not fatal. One or two others were slightly hurt.

The Regulars to the Front.

In the midst of this the company of United States troops at the Federal Court room and the two pieces of artillery were removed to the corner of Second and Louisiana streets and made ready for action. Gen. Newton mounted a horse and got all his men out on the various streets ready to repel an attack. Since dark the men have been marched back to their quarters and the excitement is about over.

During the excitement a colored woman jumped out of the second story of the Metropolitan and broke her leg.

Particulars of the Skirmish.

After some pains to ascertain the facts of the skirmish this morning, the following are given by a number of eye-witnesses: Colonel Rose, post commander, rode abruptly to Col. White through his band, his horse knocking down several members of the band. He asked Col. White [if] he intended advancing his troops any further, ... negative reply. Col. White said to him that he had no right to ride through his men in that manner. A few hot words ... pulled his pistol ... followed, when Colonel Rose ... cocked and struck at White. The latter threw up his right hand and knocked the pistol off, which was fired in the air. Colonel Rose's orderly took a pop at White immediately, and then commenced the firing. Colonel Rose turned and ran up the street to the City Hall, and formed his men across the street, as previously telegraphed. Most of the firing from the Brooks side was from the Metropolitan Hotel windows and another crowd below on the pavement, and aimed at the Anthony House. The United States flag waving in front of Governor Baxter's headquarters was pierced by several bullets. Several colored men were wounded, one in the foot, another in the leg and one in the ear. Col. D. O. Sullivan, of Brooks' side, who was standing on the sidewalk opposite the Metropolitan Hotel, was shot through one of his legs, breaking it. He then walked up opposite the City Hall and received another shot in the other leg, breaking it. James Hill, a hack driver, was shot in the left hip. Maj. Shall, who was shot in the head, died a few minutes ago. One shot was fired by a United States soldier, opposite the City Hall.

The city is now quiet. One or two new companies arrived to-night to assist Baxter.

AKRON, OHIO.

Monday's Fire Rekindled.

[Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]

AKRON, OHIO, April 21, 1874.

After the fire which burned the printing office of the Akron *Daily Argus*, on Monday morning, was supposed to have been extinguished, a considerable amount of debris was left, which again started up this morning, destroying what remained of the building. The fire was communicated to Sanford's furniture rooms, adjoining on the north, and Coben's clothing store on the south, destroying property to the amount of $15,000. At noon to-day the fire started up for the third time, which resulted in slight additional damage. H.

TITUSVILLE.

Death on the Rail.

TITUSVILLE, PA., April 21.—A special to the *Herald* says: John Lynch, a conductor on the Allegheny Valley Railroad, was run over and instantly killed by his train at Foxburg, this evening.

Meeting of Oil Producers at Petrolia.

A large producers' meeting was held at Petrolia to-day relative to discontinuing the drilling of new wells, the object of which is to decrease the production of petroleum in order to advance the price. Action was taken by a large majority of operators, with a fair prospect of all joining in the discontinuance of further operations for ninety days.

FOREIGN.

SPAIN.

Bombardment of Bilboa.

MADRID, April 21.—A vigorous cannonade of the Carlist positions about Bilboa has compelled the abandonment of several. It is reported that the Carlists are subsisting mainly on horse flesh.

The Carlists Worsted.

MADRID, April 21.—The Carlists before Bilboa have been compelled by the heavy firing of the Republican batteries to abandon their positions at Portugalete and San Tuercos.

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WEATHER REPORT.

WAR DEPARTMENT, OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER, WASHINGTON, D. C., 1 A. M., April 22, 1874.

Synopsis for the Past Twenty-four Hours.

The winds have shifted to northwesterly over New England, with clearing weather. Fresh and brisk northwesterly winds and clear or partly cloudy weather have prevailed over the Middle States and lower lake region, generally clear weather over the Southern States, with winds veering to east and south in the Gulf States. A light rain has fallen in the lower Missouri valley, Indian Territory and on the Texas coast. The Allegheny, Ohio, Mississippi and lower Missouri rivers have risen, except at Cincinnati and New Orleans, where they have fallen.

Probabilities for To-day.

Over New England, clear weather will prevail, with light to fresh westerly winds.

For the Middle and South Atlantic States, clear weather and light to fresh winds, shifting to easterly and southerly.

From the gulf northward over the lower Ohio valley and Missouri, southeast to northeast winds, increasing cloudiness and rain.

For the lower lake region, partly cloudy weather and light to fresh variable winds.

For the upper lake region and the upper Mississippi valley, winds veering to northwest and northeast, with increasing cloudiness, and over the southern portion of this area light rain.

The lower Missouri river, the Mississippi from St. Louis to Vicksburg, and the Ohio below Louisville continue rising.

BREVITIES.

Paragraphic Pencilings of Passing Events.

....The Pythian's display this afternoon.

....Harrisburg will be invaded by Pittsburgh crusaders this morning.

....The visiting Knights appear to make themselves at home in Pittsburgh.

....A number of coal dumps jumped the track near Try street tunnel yesterday, and delayed traffic forty minutes.

....Prof. S. P. Langley told an audience at Library Hall last night what he knew of the Sunny side of the planetary world.

....The report current yesterday that Mayor Blackmore was seriously ill again is not correct. His Honor still continues to improve.

...."A. B. C.," whose advertisement appeared in yesterday's GAZETTE, will find a box full of letters sent to his address at this office.

....A will was placed on record in the Recorder's office yesterday, which bore the date of 1818. Time had rendered the paper very fragile and it had to be handled tenderly.

....On Monday evening Mr. Robert H. Dalzell, of the firm of Evens, Dalzell & Co. fell and broke the tendon of his right leg. He will be confined to the house for some days.

....The will of James M. Potter, late of Pittsburgh, was filed yesterday in the Register's office. He bequeaths all his property to his wife, and upon her death the estate is to go the children.

....Letters of administration have been granted to Robert Phillips, J. Patton Lyon and W. A. Tomlinson, on the estate of Col. William Phillips. Bonds were required in the sum of $100,000.

....Mr. J. D. Mills, of Alexandria, Virginia, was robbed at the St. James Hotel on Monday night of a pocket-book containing $40 or $50, a gold watch and chain, and a gold Masonic pin. The loss has been made known at the Mayor's office.

....Information was made yesterday at the Mayor's office by James Dermitt, charging John Kleppner, who keeps a saloon on Smithfield street, near Seventh avenue, with selling liquor on Sunday. The accused was arrested and will have a hearing on Saturday.

....The Meadville *Republican* says that Dr. I. E. Thicks un, a physician of Union City, was instantly killed Saturday by the cars. A freight train was standing on the track and the doctor was climbing over the cars when the train suddenly moved and he was thrown to the track and killed. When first seen by the conductor he was lying on the track, the car wheel resting against his breast outside the rail.

....In Judge White's branch of the District Court yesterday, the discovery was made that a German had been serving all morning on the jury without being able to understand a word of English. The case, however, went on to its conclusion, when the juryman was discharged from further duty. It was not until an interpreter made an explanation, that he could be made to understand that his services were needed no longer.

....In order to settle the difficulty between the Controller and Prothonotary of this county regarding the payment of the State tax on writs, a bill has been introduced into the Legislature, and passed the Senate, being now on second reading in the House, providing that hereafter all taxes on writs and other documents shall be paid direct to the State every three months, and also imposing heavy penalties for failing to comply with the requirement within fifteen days after the quarter has expired.

PERSONAL.

***Rev. Father Fitzgerald, of whose serious illness we made mention last week, died yesterday morning at the residence of his father on Tunnell street. The deceased was in the twenty-sixth year of his age, and was born and bred in this city, having been educated at St. Michael's seminary, Glenwood. He had been ordained two years, and was assigned the pastorate of the church at Myers' mills, Somerset county, where, four months ago, he contracted a severe cold from exposure, which led to consumption, which culminated in his death. He was brought home on the 23d of December, since which time he has been confined to his bed. He was greatly esteemed by all who enjoyed his acquaintance.

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Franklin Savings Bank, Allegheny, have removed to their new house, No. 171 Federal street. ap22

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WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED BOOK-KEEPER, with good references. Applications to be made in writing, addressed to "A. B. C.," in care of Gazette office. ap21-a81

TO LET.

TO LET—A FRAME HOUSE OF SEVEN rooms, No. 56 Bidwell street, Allegheny, on line of horse cars. Enquire of N. NELSON, 116 Fifth avenue, or J. C. BAILLIE, next door. ap22-a57

TO LET—WITH POWER—1ST FLOOR of the Venture Pattern Works. Room 36x120 feet, being one of the best lighted rooms in the city. Also, basement in same building. Enquire of ENGLAND & BINDLEY, 263 Liberty st. ap21

TO LET—A COMMODIOUS DWELLING house in the country, a short distance from the city, and easy of access. Will be rented to a careful and responsible tenant for one or two years. Address "S. P. E.," Gazette office. ap16-a57

TO LET—A FURNISHED RESIDENCE in one of the most desirable locations in Allegheny City, for a term of six months. To any party wanting a residence during the summer, no better opportunity can be had. Reference required. Address "F. H.," Box B, Gazette office. ap15

TO LET—AT SHARPSBURG—FURnished or unfurnished—two fine rooms, bed room and parlor. Apply at THIS OFFICE. mh27:a55

TO LET—HALL 75 FEET BY 30, fourth story of 51 Fifth avenue. Excellent light front and rear. Enquire of H. McCALLUM. mh10:94

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—SECOND HAND MACHINERY.—One No. 1 Planer and Matcher; one No. 1 Moulder, three sides; five Iron Lathes, six Drill Presses; one Wood Lathes; two Sturdvant Fans—all in good order. M. B. COCHRAN & CO., 121 Liberty street.

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NOTICE is hereby given that as Executor of the last will and testament of BARTHOLOMEW DAVIS, dec'd under the authority and direction of the Orphans' Court of Allegheny county, Pa., I will expose to sale at public auction on the premises, on

THURSDAY, May 28th, A. D. 1874,

at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., Lot No. 1 in Dale & Maitland's plan, situate on the corner of Pennsylvania and Irwin avenues, in the Second ward of Allegheny city, Pa., fronting twenty-two (22) feet on the north side of said Pennsylvania avenue, and thence extending along the west side of Irwin avenue northwardly, preserving the same width, 105 feet to an alley; on which there is erected a two story frame dwelling house, &c., being the same premises conveyed to said decedent by deed dated Nov. 4th, 1839, and recorded in vol. 82, page 640.

TERMS—One-third cash; one-third in one year, and the remaining third in two years, the deferred payments to bear interest, and to be secured by a bond and mortgage with Sci. Fa. clause on the premises.

ALEX. DAVIS, Executor.

April 21, 1874. ap22-a89-w

CITY ENGINEER'S OFFICE, MUNICIPAL HALL, PITTSBURGH, April 22, 1874.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.—SEALED Proposals will be received at this office until TUESDAY, the 5th day of May, 1874, at 3 P. M., for the following work:

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Lang avenue, from Penn avenue to Penna. railroad.

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Camp street from Herron avenue to Jefferson street.
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Adelaide street from Madison street to Iowa street.
35th street from Butler street to Allegheny river.

SEWERS.

20 inch pipe on Yard's alley from Pius street to Josephine street.

Also for the numbering of Fifth avenue. Bidders will furnish samples of numbers.

Plans and specifications and blanks for bidding can be had at this office. No bids will be received after 3 P. M. The Committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids should they deem it necessary for the interest of the property owners or the city.

A. DEMPSTER, City Engineer. ap22

Auditor's Notice!

In the matter of the account of A. S. BELL, ESQ., Administrator of the Estate of JANE SCOTT, deceased, in the Orphans' Court of Allegheny County, Pa., at No. 47, March Term 1874.

The undersigned, having been appointed Auditor by said Court to make distribution of the balance in the hands of the Administrator to and among the persons entitled thereto by law, hereby gives notice that he will discharge the duties of said appointment at my office, No. 87 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa., on

WEDNESDAY, May 20, 1874;

at 3 o'clock, P. M., at which time and place all creditors, heirs and all others interested in the distribution of said decedent's estate are notified to be present.

J. W. KIRKER, Auditor.

APRIL 21, 1874. ap22:a8

POLITICAL.

☞FOR CONGRESS IN TWENTY-THIRD DISTRICT.

THOMAS M. BAYNE

Will be a candidate for Congress in the Twenty-third District, subject to the decision of the Republican Convention. mh23-8

☞FOR CONGRESS.

ALEX. M. WATSON

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GOLD closed in New York yesterday at 113¾.

THE House of Assembly, yesterday, passed the bill to prevent corrupt solicitation. The only thing now remaining is to apply its penalties to the Democratic Senators.

THE bill which passed the House at Washington, reducing the mileage of members to the amount of their actual traveling expenses, effects a saving on this account, of over $150,000 for every session of Congress.

THE Gubernatorial contest in Arkansas still continues, but the difficulty is to be settled by the Courts. The rival parties have about equal strength, as regards troops, but Brooks holds a well fortified position.

THE Philadelphia *Press* announces that its "cremation" story was a "sell." In other words, the affair was conjured up as so much "interesting" reading for its Sunday issue. Rather bad for the credit of the *Press*.

THE *Telegraph* favors late Conventions. Hasn't it the gumption to know that late Conventions will result in the defeat of John Scott for United States Senator, to a positive certainty, so far as the vote of this region is concerned? This is one of the objects aimed at in the late Convention.

AS WE have expected, from the time of its passage, the President will sign the currency bill. It is intimated, however, that the President will send a message to Congress urging the adoption of a more harmonious measure. The House Free Banking bill, now in the Senate, will be found much better than that passed.

THE proposition to punish officials who shall pay more for a given amount of work than the contract price is well enough, and only needs an additional section, making it a punishable offence to pay papers for publishing advertisements they were not authorized to insert. Such a section will create consternation among the "independents."

THE President, while adhering to the general features of the Civil Service, admits that those offices which require the advice and consent of the Senate to fill cannot be managed under the existing rules. He recognizes the uncertainty of some phases of the situation, and this is proper. So far as mere clerkships go, there is no difficulty.

BAYARD TAYLOR, in a letter to the *Tribune* from Egypt, refers to the prevalence of use of the English language in Europe and the Orient,—and claims that it is rapidly becoming the language of universal use. In Rome, a boy called out, "Shine up your boots," and at the base of Pompey's Pillar in Egypt, a dirty little girl came out of a fellah hut, exclaiming, "Give me a ha'penny?" Ninety millions of persons speak the English, while less than half that number speak French.

THE *Telegraph*, ignorant of the fact that Logan, Morton, and others, explained themselves as not understanding the exact purport of the Scott amendments, conjures up an apocryphal speech, which, with several interjected explanations, it makes do service to prove that Logan was the originator of the Scott amendments, and therefore, that these amendments mean something else than what they really do. This is about as thin as anything we have recently seen. And were its story true, it would not prove that the bill inflated the currency in the face of the universal recognition of the opposite fact, by financiers and the press.

WE have dealt kindly and moderately with those having in charge the streets of our city, hoping that without undue urgency they would attend to the cleansing of [illegible] and streets, particularly those our [illegible] thoroughfares. Thus far used as leading [illegible] wed the agitation but few results have [illegible] we have seen of the subject. Occasionally [illegible] the laborers the Street Commissioner directing [illegible] bors of a half dozen working men, but even this happens only at rare intervals. The streets of our city are in a shameful condition. Pavements are torn up, mud has accumulated, and with a light rainfall, a mass of mud may be seen in all our streets. When warm sunshine comes, the mud is dried, and unsightly heaps of dirt, filth and vegetable accumulations are observable. The effect of this on the public health cannot be otherwise than detrimental. We are not sure that legal proceedings cannot be instituted against the officer who leaves his duties, as regards street cleaning, comparatively unperformed. We urge this subject strongly. It needs, and the public health demands prompt action.

TEMPERANCE PHILOSOPHY.

Confessedly, the liquor problem is one of the most difficult we have, as few can agree to any solution that is offered. Even those who have been life-long workers in the temperance cause have, from time to time, abandoned old methods, and resorted to new plans, until it is hard to determine how many we have had. Is there an innate craving for stimulant, that will not be denied gratification?—is a question often asked. That in all countries, and among every nation of people, however highly civilized or basely degraded, there have been developed stimulating methods,—of drink or of chewing gum,—is admitted. Why this universal invention of stimulants? Along with this comes another question. Are there means by which the universal desire for stimulants can be controlled, so that there may be use, without abuse? This, probably, is quite as practical a question just at present as that of the entire prohibition of intoxicating drinks. A writer in the *Galaxy*, bearing the Spanish name of Cespedes, whose literary reputation both in Spain and Cuba is quite considerable, considers this question from the standpoint of a foreigner. He affirms that "neither Americans nor Englishmen drink more spirits than the French, Spaniards, or Italians. Statistics prove the fact, and yet, in England and the United States, drunkenness is 100 per cent. more prevalent than in France, Spain, or Italy. A long residence in all of the countries referred to, and some study of the question, has led the writer to the conclusion that there are two causes for this. The first of these is that the English and Americans, especially the latter, do not know how to drink; and the second, that in both England and the United States the liquors are most execrable in quality."

To remedy this evil, he proposes that liquors shall be made cheap and pure. The reduction of duties on foreign liquors is recommended, in the belief that larger imports will make the revenues as large as they now are, while drunkenness will by the same means be limited if not prevented. On this point he says: "Intoxication is very infrequent in those countries where good liquors are cheap and abundant, and where they are used in every household as a necessity, as not seldom the result of religious precept. On the other hand, in those countries where spirits are dear and bad, and drinking them is considered a sin, intoxication takes the proportion of a national calamity which threatens to destroy the foundations of society. In the first, the people are taught how to use good liquors; in the second, dear prices, and social, if not legal, prohibition, have only succeeded in teaching the people how to abuse bad ones."

The suggestion, while possessed of some merit, quite overlooks, we think, the fact that the hurry and drive, which are characteristic of the people of this country, accounts quite as fully for the bad effects of extreme drinking, and for the fact as well, as any other theory that can be set up. Long before persons became slaves to liquor in this country, they contracted the habit of drinking as a means of drowning sorrow, quelling excitement, or to repair or stimulate nervous energies that have been swiftly exhausted. Many drift into hard drinking from the habit formed in social intercourse. It is not, therefore, the cost of drinking, the seeming prohibition, or anything of this kind, that makes the contrast so fearful. Make liquor cheap and it will still be adulterated in this country, and drank to excess.

PEACE IN THE PARTY.

We are very decidedly of the opinion that the maintenance of harmony within the ranks of the party is a duty of first importance. To secure this, embodies a principle essential to the welfare of all parties,—involving, as it does, the concession to the majority of the right to govern. Even this, however, should, as a rule, be secured by proper concessions, but where principle is involved, it is incumbent on the majority to assert their right. Enough information has been received by us, within a brief period, for us to know that there is a very decided feeling in the Republican party, in this county and the Twenty-third Congressional District, in favor of an early Convention. This has been developed, with more than usual intensity, because of the information that the Harrisburg politicians are desirous of holding back the action of the party, in order that they may make points of their own. They have been too busy up to the present, to thoroughly prepare the way for their particular candidates, hence they favor a late Convention. Were they ready, of course an early Convention would be their pet measure. We are so decidedly impressed with the thought that their plans are not, as a rule, the best for the party, that we do not prefer to see movements manipulated by them.

The particular *status* of the question, however, is this. There are two petitions out—one calling upon the Executive Committee for early Conventions, and another for Conventions in August or September. Mr. Reese, the chairman of the Committee, is urged to delay a meeting until it is too late to call Conventions in early June. This it will be exceedingly unwise for him to do, as it will in effect take from the Committee its undoubted right, that of determining whether the Conventions shall be early or late. For the chairman to assume the entire responsibility is to arrogate to himself the power he does not really possess. Whatever our views might be as to the wisdom of late or early Conventions, we should have no question as to the duty of the chairman of the Executive Committee. It clearly is to promptly commit to his compeers the question, and leave it with them to determine whether they shall be early or late. By doing this, he avoids entanglements, saves himself from criticism, and places the responsibility where it belongs—with the properly constituted Committee. And every day's delay in calling the Committee together only makes a bad matter worse. We do not know, and have not sought to ascertain the views of the chairman of the Committee as to the main question, but we are entirely clear that he cannot do wiser or better, whatever his convictions, than to promptly call a meeting of his Committee—the sooner the better—commit the petitions addressed to him to it, and leave it with it to determine when Conventions shall be held. Courtesy to his compeers, the peace of the party and fairness to all requires this.

A proper consideration of this subject will make the force of these suggestions apparent. The Executive Committee represents, for the time being, the party. Whatever diversities of opinion there may be, with the party, as affecting any question of policy, it is fair to presume that the Executive Committee represents it, as the several members are so fully conversant with the views of the people at large that they can fully and easily give these their proper expression. This being true, it matters not what the differences are, or who entertains this opinion, and who that,—the Committee should promptly consider the entire subject and decide upon it. We held and advocated this view when the City Executive Committee was not promptly called together to prepare for the city canvass. We urged that all questions as to the propriety of entering on a canvass, belonged, not to the Chairman, but to the entire body. We now urge that Mr. Reese cannot delay calling his Committee together, without practically determining a question that belongs, not to him, but the Committee as a body. And any delay in issuing a call, or in convening the Committee will be judged from this standpoint.

The Committee assembled, and the propriety of an early or late Convention will be fully considered and determined. It is [illegible], here, to say that what may seem enough [illegible] desire, should govern, to be the [illegible] thought. On general principles we [illegible] that late Conventions would be preferable; but if strong reasons exist for the holding of early Conventions, we are content. The leading thought with us, and we presume with all Republicans who merely seek the good of the party, and not selfish ends through the party, is that of the well-being of the organization which has done so well for the country in the past, and will in the future conduct with wisdom and success its governmental affairs.

PERSONAL.

GENERAL S. B. HAZELTINE, eighty-three years old, was elected Town Clerk of Bakersfield, Vt., this year for the fifty-fourth time.

A NUMBER of Parisian tradesmen have subscribed to present the ex-Prince Imperial with a sword of honor, adorned with diamonds, and some of the former officers of the Grenadiers of the Guard, to which regiment the Prince used to belong, are about to give him a handsome chronometer, inscribed with the date "March 16," and the words, "*Semper et ubique fideles.*"

THERE have been eighteen Collectors of the port of Boston since 1789. General Benjamin Lincoln in that year organized the office and continued to discharge its duties for nearly twenty years. General H. A. S. Dearborn was in office for seventeen years, David Henshaw eight years, and the recent incumbent, Judge Russell, who now goes as Minister to Venezuela, ranks the fourth in length of service, his term covering seven years.

A CORRESPONDENT of *Public Opinion* draws attention to the unnecessary expense attending the modern marriage ceremony. His daughter was recently married, and, her bridesmaids' dresses, which were of the simplest kind, only cost £10 each. The groom had to present each of the young ladies with a gold locket; the breakfast cost a small fortune; and the poor victim has since had the satisfaction of hearing that the fair damsels pronounced the whole thing as an "awfully stupid affair."

THE telegraph informed us the other day that the ex Empress Eugenie would visit Paris incognita. This mode of existence is purely a diplomatic construction, and the expression used to signify it means only that the party adopting it is not to be officially known. The Prince of Wales dropped his royalty when he visited America, and became the Baron Renfrew; and so Eugenie may visit Paris as Madame Chose, while as perfectly accomplishing her object in going as though she were received by the entire representative corps of the *Septennat*, with Marshal MacMahon—as an old friend of the family—to more especially pay her the honors.

MARY'S FATE.

Candy and Confectionery Killed Her.

I must tell you of Mary's fate. It was a fate entirely real. It was during the Christmas holidays of 1869 that I first saw Mary Crawford. A large party of us were invited to a gathering at the house of an old friend on the Hudson. I left town on the evening train, and an hour later we were in the vestibule of Mr. Ramsay's house. We had scarcely crossed the threshold when I was struck with the unusually lovely face and figure of a young girl standing in the doorway of the conservatory, immediately before us. She was apparently awaiting some arrival, on the lookout for some one in whom she was interested, and, as she stood beneath an arch of evergreens and flowers, the picture was perfect.

"What a very lovely face!" whispered the friend with me. Lovely indeed it was, of a type which some years since promised to become thoroughly American in its frequency, but which is more rarely seen to-day, when German and Irish and other races are pouring in upon us by tens of thousands, bringing other blood and other outlines with them. Hair and eyes were of a deep warm brown, features perfectly regular, complexion delicate and clear, but neither fair nor highly colored. The countenance was charming, and the figure full of delicate grace.

In another moment the young girl had vanished, but I had afterward the pleasure of watching her through the evening as she flitted about in the happy gayety of sixteen.

"I see you are lost in admiration of Mary Crawford," said our hostess, as she observed me following the graceful movements of the young girl in a dance. "She is a ward of ours, a Southern girl, sent to New York to finish her education. She has won all our hearts. You must make her acquaintance."

Soon after Mrs. Ramsey brought the young lady to the corner where I had placed myself out of the way of the dancers, and we were introduced—the young ward and the old friend of the family; and ere long it became evident to my quiet observation that this beautiful Mary was likely to become something nearer than a ward. That bright, promising youth, Tom Ramsay, was perpetually hovering about her with looks and ways intensely lover-like. We were ten days in the house together, and at the end of that time I had become almost as much an admirer of Mary as young Ramsay himself; we elderly women fall so naturally into the love of young girls when they are of the right sort—innocent, modest, and pleasing. And Mary had other attractions besides beauty. She sang delightfully, a really fine contralto voice being thoroughly cultivated. She was clever, too, and had a remarkable facility for languages. Altogether she was one of the loveliest girls I have ever known. I coaxed her into sitting for her portrait, a miniature on ivory, which I painted purely for the pleasure of the task, and which I promised to copy for her lover whenever she should be engaged. Young Ramsey looked as if he might claim it before the month was out.

But before the close of that month of January I was on the ocean, on my way to the south of Europe, in charge of a near relative in delicate health. We remained abroad some time. There was no correspondence with the Ramseys, and in the course of a roving traveler's life I seldom heard of them. Twice, however, I chanced to hear Mary Crawford spoken of. A distinguished American sculptor told me her face and head were more faultless than any he had seen during a recent visit to New York. Another acquaintance also spoke of her charming voice. She was known to be engaged to young Ramsey, but the marriage could not take place until she was eighteen, until which age she was to remain at school in accordance with her father's will.

A few months later, as a large party of Americans collected at Cairo for an excursion to the Pyramids, I was agreebly surprised to find my friends Mr. and Mrs Ramsay among them. They had arrived just in time to join this party, of which I was one. After a warm greeting on both sides I began to inquire after friends at home, as Americans on the other side of the world are apt to do.

"How is my friend Tom? Is he with you?"

Mr. Ramsay shook his head sadly.

"Poor fellow, he is in Japan now. We persuaded him to join a scientific expedition to the East. He had no heart for it but I fairly drove him on."

A look of inquiry in my face was answered by Mrs. Ramsay.

"You have not, perhaps, heard of our great sorrow. Mary—"

"Mary Crawford!" I exclaimed, aghast.

"Yes. More than two months since. Just as we were looking forward to the marriage. My poor boy is literally heart-broken." And her tears began to fall.

"Mary Crawford! that lovely young creature!" I again exclaimed. "Decline—consumption?" I added, half unconsciously.

Mrs. Ramsay shook her head sadly.

"Mary died of a short but severe illness at our house."

"And I would given my own life to save her," added Mr. Ramsay, with great force of feeling in voice and manner. "A pretty guardian I have made!"

"It was not your fault, my dear husband."

"It was *my* fault—it was *your* fault—it was everybody's fault. All her friends are to blame. To think that such a sweet creature, endowed with such capacity for bestowing happiness, should have died at eighteen—died of *trash!*" he exclaimed, bitterly.

I was amazed at the words and the bitterness of the tone. I could not comprehend the meaning.

"Here comes Dr. Stanton. He will tell the miserable story."

As Mr. Ramsay spoke, Dr. Stanton, one of their party, the celebrated physician of that name, entered the room. He was also an old friend of mine, taking a short vacation.

"We were speaking of dear Mary," observed Mrs. Ramsay, after the doctor had shaken hands with me.

"Miss Crawford! Ah, yes, sad indeed."

"I can scarcely believe that lovely picture of girlish life and beauty should have actually left this world. I knew her, doctor, and admired her greatly. Nay, I may say that in the ten days we were together at Riverside I learned to love her."

"Everybody loved her!" exclaimed Mr. Ramsay.

"She looked and moved the very poetry of girlhood," I added.

"It was a great deal more than poetry," observed the practical old physician. "She would have developed into a thoroughly noble woman."

"Miss Almy can not believe me when I say Mary died of *trash*," cried Mr. Ramsay.

[illegible] "too true," replied the physician, turning [illegible], and raising his hands emphatically toward [illegible] it not been for *trash* [illegible] "Had [illegible] have been living [illegible] Miss Crawford would [illegible] now."

"I do not clearly understand you, doctor."

"Would you believe it? candy and confectionery killed that lovely creature. No doubt of that," said the doctor, calmly.

"What a fate!"

"The dear child had been greatly spoiled by an old negro nurse and the grandmother with whom she lived at Charleston. She lived on confectionery."

"Like too many of our American girls, my dear madam," said the doctor, shaking his head emphatically. "I have had three cases of the same character within the last year. As yet Miss Crawford is the only fatal one, but the others are ruining their health and their happiness in life."

"We are not aware how far Mary carried this silly habit," said Mrs. Ramsay.

"Do not call it silly—call it wicked!" interrupted her husband. "It is destroying the life and abilities given by the Creator for higher purposes. It is as much a crime as drunkenness."

"Do not speak so harshly, dear. The poor young things are not aware of the injury they are doing themselves," said gentle Mrs. Ramsey.

"It is time they learned the lesson, then. It is time their fathers and mothers taught them that lesson. They must learn that to trifle with health of body and mind is a crime against Heaven."

"We had no idea of the amount of confectionary Mary had purchased until we saw her bills after all was over. Her allowance was large, in accordance with her father's will, and she spent her pocket money as she chose," said Mrs. Ramsey.

Mr. Ramsay fairly groaned aloud. "The amount was simply incredible," he exclaimed.

"But, my dear husband, you may be sure Mary always shared this confectionery with her companions."

"Her own share proved enough to kill her. It is small comfort to think she was helping to kill others too. Would you believe it, Miss Almy, one of those young girls told me Mary habitually kept a large drawer full of candies and preserves and tarts?"

"Too many American school girls have done the same thing," said the doctor. "I only wish they knew how it injures their teeth and their complexions. Vanity spoils early, but a just sense of the importance of health seldom comes before five-and-twenty."

"But a girl so intelligent as Mary Crawford! It is indeed surprising," I observed.

"When did mere intelligence ever prevent drinking or opium eating? No, you must bring principle and conscience to bear if you wish to correct any evil habit of self indulgence," said Mr. Ramsay, somewhat sternly.

"Poor dear Mary, the habit grew upon her, no doubt, from childhood, by the weak indulgence of those about her. She saw no harm in it."

"There is exactly where you and I are to blame, my dear wife. We at least should have taught her better."

"Yours is no unusual case, my dear sir," observed the doctor; "and doubtless you were not aware that every year American school girls die in consequence of the same childish habit, generally by slow waste of digestive powers, occasionally of an acute attack, as in the case of Miss Crawford. Our people are not sufficiently watchful over their daughters, it must be admitted. Not only school girls shorten their lives by *trash*," added the doctor, "half the men and women in the country are following the same course in one way or another. A little common sense would do us all a wonderful amount of good as regards the health of the nation, and its happiness too."

Mary's miniature was asked for and shown. It represented the young girl in the perfection of her beauty, with the happy joyous look she had worn during those holidays in the period of her engagement. Tears were shed over that lovely face.

Some weeks later I received at Malta a telegram from Calcutta:

"Will Miss Almy send me Mary's miniature?
"THOMAS RAMSAY."

How much of love and sorrow did those few words convey! The miniature, intended as a wedding gift, was send to India. It was all that was left on earth of the beautiful Mary Crawford.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

AN ex-Alderman of St. Louis proposes to legally convince the *Democrat* of that city that he has a character worth $20,000.

WHY is Governor Baxter like David fighting the Philistines? Because he proposes to take a Little Rock from the Brooks.—*N. Y. Com. Adr.*

THE Mayors of Brooklyn, Jersey City and Newark announce that they will promptly forward contributions for the relief of sufferers by the floods in Louisiana.

A DESTRUCTIVE fire occurred in Ishpening, Michigan, on Sunday night, destroying an entire block. Thirty families are rendered homeless, and twenty-five business places burned. The loss will not fall short of $150,000; insurance $80,000.

A CLAM with a gold finger ring on its snout, the said ring having several initials engraved on it, was dug at New Bedford, Mass., the other day, in a locality where it is customary to baptize converts. The ring probably slipped from the finger of some immersed sister.

THE Portland *Journal* mentions a sharp retort given by Mr. Miner in the Rhode Island Legislature to a Mr. Hill, of Woonsocket. Hill asked for an appropriation for premiums to be paid by the Woonsocket Agricultural Society on bulls and boars. Miner said that if Woonsocket had any bigger bores than it sent to the Assembly it ought to have a premium. The boar man succumbed.

THE United States Consul at Manchester, England, has written to General Alexander Shaler, of New York city, inviting Americans to compete for prizes to be offered at the great international exhibition of horses, to be held at Pomona Gardens, at Manchester, from the 12th to the 15th of May next. The exhibition will be conducted under the Presidency of the Earl of Derby and Dr. Constantine.

DR. J. MCGUIRE, the physician who acted as interpreter for Captain Thomas, of the steamship Greece, when he was hailed by Captain Lemaire, of the steamship Europe, and who was one of the prize crew that took possession when the Europe was abandoned, has arrived in New York. He says she could have been saved even in her worst hour, if she had been supplied with an efficient set of deck pumps.

A TRAVELER from Nevada says: "You may step out of your Pullman car to get a breath, in journeying through Nevada, at some little way station, and stumble over a pile of silver bricks, breast high, and worth fifty or a hundred thousand dollars. You will generally perceive on very close inspection of the phenomenon, a loaded revolver, which has a singular trick of following your movements like a magnet."

THE recent revelations of the extortion practiced by New York pawnbrokers gives interest to the way this business is done in Paris. Even there, however, the Mont de Piete is used less by poor people than private establishments. The way in which the same article is repeatedly pledged was curiously illustrated in the case of an umbrella which went through this process for forty-seven successive years. A benevolent person who redeemed this article, which was completely covered with pawn tickets, excited the anger of its owner by restoring it to him. A white calico curtain, pledged in 1823, on which thirty five francs sixty centimes had been made by the owner, was sold in 1872 for five francs.

HUMOROUS.

A LITTLE boy defines snoring as "letting off sleep."

THE song of the printer's devil:
"Pi of ages, left for me,
Let me hide a peck of thee."

REFERRING to the number of fights about small sums of money, our arithmetician is reminded that there are ten mills to a cent.—*New York World.*

"DID YOU," blandly asked a Western Judge, "execute this instrument without fear or compulsion from your husband?" "Fear! Compulsion! He compel me! You don't know me, Judge!" was the prompt reply.

KENTON rejoices over the latest egg monstrosity. The *Republican* says it is nine and one quarter inches in circumference, and "was laid on our table by Dr. Rogers." Dr. Rogers should be watched.

AN old lady hearing some one reading about a Congressman at large, rushed in the kitchen door, shouting: "Sarah Jane, Sarah Jane! don't leave the clothes out all night, mind I tell you, for there's a Congressman at large."

WHEN a husband returns home after a long absence, and hears the parrot shouting, "Kiss me, darling," as soon as his wife enters the room, his interest in "Enoch Arden" naturally begins to deepen.—*Brooklyn Argus.*

MARIE ALEXANDROWNA speaks English fluently, but when he mislays her fluting irons or gets cigar ashes in her back hair, she will address him in her native Russian, which a famous German critic pronounces the "most muscular language" in Europe.—*Brooklyn Argus.*

A WIDE-AWAKE MINISTER, who found his congregation going to sleep before he had fairly commenced, suddenly stopped and exclaimed, "Brethren, this isn't fair; it isn't giving a man half a chance. Wait till I get along, and then if I ain't worth listening to, go to sleep, but don't before I commence; give a man a chance."

AN elderly [illegible] gentleman being greatly smitten with [illegible] a young lady in church, passed her [illegible] an open prayer-book with the passage marked at the marriage service, "Wilt thou take this man to be thy wedded husband?" The girl quickly returned the book with this sentence strongly underlined: "No woman may marry her grandfather."

A MODEST young husband in New York sent the following message over the wires to friends in this city the other day: "See ninth chapter of Isaiah, sixth verse." The dusty old Bible was hauled down in an instant, and the above chapter and verse were hunted out and found to explain all. The verse reads: "Lo, unto us a child is born—unto us a boy is given."

A NEW YORK journal says that a wealthy gentleman of that city has added a codicil to his will, ordering that after his death his body shall be injected with petroleum, placed in a metallic coffin, and then be deposited in one of the retorts of the Manhattan Gas Company's works. If afterwards no one wishes to inter his ashes, they are to be delivered to the Central Park Commissioners, to be used as fertilizing material on one of the flower beds near the music stand.

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ORDINANCES.

[No. 52.]

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing the Grading of Henry street from Charles street to Bates street.

WHEREAS, It appears that a majority in interest has petitioned for the grading of Henry street from Charles street to Bates street, therefore,

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for the Grading of Henry street, from Charles street to Bates street, and to let the same in the manner directed by an Act concerning streets, approved January 6th, 1864, and the several supplements thereto, and Ordinances of Councils relative to the same.

SEC. 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the passage of this ordinance at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Councils this 13th day of April, A. D. 1874.

A. H. GROSS,
President of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. B. NEGLEY,
President of Common Council.
Attest: GEORGE BOOTH,
Clerk of Common Council.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, vol. 3, page 472, April 20, 1874. ap22

[No. 51.]

AN ORDINANCE — Authorizing the opening of Henry street, from Charles street to Bates street.

WHEREAS, It appears that a majority in interest has petitioned for the opening of Henry street, from Charles street to Bates street, therefore,

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to survey and open Henry street, from Charles street to Bates street, in accordance with a plan approved by Councils, Nov. 4, D. 1872. The damages caused thereby and the benefits to pay the same to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of an Act of Assembly entitled "An Act concerning Streets and Sewers in the City of Pittsburgh," approved January 6, 1864, and the several supplements thereto.

SEC. 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the passage of this Ordinance, at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Councils this 13th day of April, A. D. 1874.

A. H. GROSS,
President of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. B. NEGLEY,
President of Common Council.
Attest: GEO. BOOTH,
Clerk of Common Council.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, vol. 4, page 72, April 20, 1874. ap22

[No. 53.]

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the opening of Charles street from Niagara street to Henry street.

WHEREAS, It appears that a majority in interest has petitioned for the opening of Charles street from Niagara street to Henry street, therefore,

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the city of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the City Engineer be and is hereby authorized and directed to survey and Open Charles street from Niagara street to Henry street, in accordance with a plan approved by Councils November 4th, A. D. 1872. The damages caused thereby and the benefits to pay the same to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of an Act of Assembly entitled "An Act concerning streets and sewers in the city of Pittsburgh," approved January 6th, 1864, and the several supplements thereto.

SEC. 2. That any Ordinance, or part of Ordinance conflicting with the passage of this Ordinance, at the present time, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law, in Councils, this 13th day of April, A. D. 1874.

A. H. GROSS,
President of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. B. NEGLEY,
President of Common Council.
Attest: GEO. BOOTH,
Clerk of Common Council.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, Vol. 4, page 73, April 20, 1874. ap22

[No. 41.]

AN ORDINANCE—Regulating the number of Police officers and Lamp Washers for the year 1874.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That on and after the 1st day of January, A. D. 1874, the Police force of the City of Pittsburgh shall consist of

1 Chief of Police.
1 Captain of Police.
7 Detectives.
17 Lieutenants.
200 Patrolmen.
10 Lamp Washers.
236 Total.

SEC. 2. That any ordinance or part of ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Councils, this 30th day of March, A. D. 1874.

A. H. GROSS,
President of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. B. NEGLEY,
President of Common Council.
Attest: GEORGE BOOTH,
Clerk of Common Council.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, vol. 4, page 70, April 17, 1874. ap22

[No. 35.]

AN ORDINANCE—Granting Thomas Rouswell and A. Griffiths right to erect an iron clad building.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of the same, That privilege be and is hereby granted Thomas Rouswell and A. Griffiths to erect an iron clad building, with brick front and forty feet of brick [illegible], on Mulberry alley, between 26th and 27th streets.

SEC. 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law in Councils this 20th day of March, A. D. 1874.

A. H. GROSS,
President of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. B. NEGLEY,
President of Common Council.
Attest: GEO. BOOTH,
Clerk of Common Council.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, vol. 3, page 467, April 17, 1874. ap22

[No. 36.]

AN ORDINANCE—Granting to August Funk the right to erect a frame building.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and enacted it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of the same, That August Funk be and he is hereby granted the right to erect a frame building on Harcum's alley, 24th ward.

SEC. 2. That any Ordinance, or part of Ordinance, conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this Ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law, in Councils, this 30th day of March, A. D. 1874.

A. H. GROSS,
President of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. B. NEGLEY,
President of Common Council.
Attest: GEO. BOOTH,
Clerk of Common Council.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, vol. 3, page 467, April 17, 1874. ap22

[No. 38.]

AN ORDINANCE — Granting Adam Wagner right to erect a frame building.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That privilege be granted Adam Wagner to erect a frame building on Carson street, 24th ward.

SEC. 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance, be and the same is hereby repealed so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law this in Councils, 30th day of March, A. D. 1874.

A. H. GROSS,
President of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. B. NEGLEY,
President of Common Council.
Attest: GEO. BOOTH,
Clerk of Common Council.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, vol. 3, page 468, April 17, 1874. ap21

[No. 39.]

AN ORDINANCE — Granting George Laing right to erect a frame kitchen.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the city of Pittsburgh in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That privilege be granted George Laing to erect a small frame kitchen in rear of house on 44th street, below Centre street, 17th ward.

SEC. 2. That any Ordinance or part of Ordinance conflicting with the provisions of this Ordinance be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same affects this ordinance.

Ordained and enacted into a law, in Councils, this 30th day of March, A. D. 1874.

A. H. GROSS,
President of Select Council.
Attest: E. S. MORROW,
Clerk of Select Council.
W. B. NEGLEY,
President of Common Council.
Attest: GEO. BOOTH,
Clerk of Common Council.
Recorded in Ordinance Book, vol. 3, page 468, April 17, 1874. ap22

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MUNICIPAL HALL, SMITHFIELD STREET,
PITTSBURGH, Feb. 23, 1874.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT all owners (whether resident or non-resident) of the City of Pittsburgh, of

Drays, Carts, Carriages, Buggies, &c.,

To pay their Licenses at this office forthwith. A Licenses not paid on or before the

FIRST MONDAY IN MARCH, 1874,

Will be placed in the hands of a Police Officer for collection, subject to a collection fee of 50 cents, and all persons neglecting to pay on or before the

FIRST MONDAY IN MAY, 1874

Will be subject to a penalty double the amount of the license, to be recovered before the Mayor, or any Alderman of said city.

The old metal plates of last year must be returned at the time Licenses are taken out, or 25 cents additional will be charged on each license.

RATES OF LICENSE:

Each One-Horse Vehicle	$ 7 50
Each Two-Horse Vehicle	12 00
Each Four-Horse Vehicle	15 00
Each Two-Horse Hack	15 00
Omnibus and Timber Wheels, drawn by Two Horses	18 00

$1.00 extra will be charged for each additional horse used to the above specified Vehicles.

C. L. MAGEE,
fe23 City Treasurer.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF REVISION,
THIRD FLOOR, MUNICIPAL HALL,
PITTSBURGH, MARCH 9, 1874.

THE BOARD OF REVISION WILL sit on the following named days at 10 o'clock A. M., in Common Council Chamber and hear all complaints from aggrieved parties before final adoption of the Wards named below. Books now ready for inspection.

April 27—Thirteenth and Fifteenth wards.
April 28—Twentieth ward.
April 29—Thirty-second and Thirty-fifth wards.

By order of the Board of Revision.
ap21 THOS. H. PHELPS, Secretary.

CITY ENGINEER'S OFFICE,
MUNICIPAL HALL, PITTSBURGH, April 14, 1874.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Viewers Report on the construction of Thirty third street sewer from Penn avenue to Allegheny River, Penn avenue sewer from Twenty-eighth street to Thirtieth street, Clark street sewer from Miller street to Elm street, Penn avenue sewer from Thirty-third street to Butler street, Twenty-seventh street sewer from Carson street to Josephine street, Spring alley sewer from Sixteenth street to Twenty-first street, and Hazel street sewer from Fulton street to Elm street, have been approved by Councils, which action will be final unless an appeal is filed in the Court of Quarter Sessions within ten (10) days from date.

A. DEMPSTER,
ap14 City Engineer.

OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF ALLEGHENY CO.,
PITTSBURGH, April 14, 1874.

NOTICE.

By authority of Commissioners of Allegheny county, and in pursuance of the twenty-first section of the act relating to Allegheny county, approved the first day of May, 1861, and the amendment to the said section, approved the 30th day of March, 1866, I do hereby give notice that the duplicates for the several wards, boroughs and townships will be open, and I will be prepared to receive the

County, State and Poor Taxes for 1874 on and After the 15th Day of May, 1874

Said taxes can be paid at this office until the 1st DAY OF JULY, with a deduction of TEN PER CENT., and from the 1st of July until the 15th day of August with a reduction of FIVE PER CENT. for prompt payment to all persons paying the whole amount of their taxes.

There will be NO DEDUCTION ALLOWED from the 15th day of August until the 15th day of September.

There will be TEN PER CENT. ADDED to all taxes remaining unpaid on the 15th day of September, 1874.

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BUTTER—15 TUBS CHOICE FRESH Dairy Roll Butter, just received by Express and for sale by J. B. CANFIELD,
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March 25, 1874.

FISH—FINNAN HADDIES, SMOKED Halibut, Smoked Salmon, Bloater Herring, Mess Herring, Mess Mackerel, Extra No. 1 Mackerel, and Pickled Salmon, just received, and for sale by
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PROPOSALS.

SEALED PROPOSALS

Will be received until the 4th day of May inclusive, by the Board of Managers of the Allegheny County Workhouse for the Masonry and Brick work necessary in the erection of the main building of the Female Prison, and of the walls surrounding it.

Plans may be examined and other information received at the office of the Superintendent, at Claremont, to which place all bids shall be addressed.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids should they see proper to do so.

ap18:a46 BY ORDER OF THE BOARD.

Notice to Contractors AND BUILDERS.

Sealed Proposals will be received at the office of the Architect, or at the said office at Bennett Station, until 4 o'clock, SATURDAY, April 25th 1874, for the erection of a PUBLIC SCHOOL BUILDING for the borough of Millvale, Allegheny co., Pa. Plans and specifications and all necessary information can be had at the office of E. M. BUTZ, Architect, 41 Federal street, Allegheny. The Board of Directors reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Board.
B. SCOTT, President.
ALEX. ALLEN, Secretary. ap14:a49

Notice to Bridge Contractors.

Sealed Proposals will be received at the office of the County Controller until SATURDAY, the 2d day of May, for the masonry and superstructure of a county bridge over Chartiers Creek, near the borough of Mansfield, and also for one over Flaugherty's run, near its mouth, in Crescent township. Plans and specifications will be found in the office of the County Engineer, on and after the 27th day of April, A. D. 1874.

ap18:d&S J. R. STILLEY, County Engineer.

OFFICE OF CONTROLLER,
CITY OF ALLEGHENY, PA., April 16, 1874.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS—SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 2 P. M., THURSDAY, April 23, 1874, for the Grading, Paving and Curbing of the following streets, viz:

GRADING, PAVING AND CURBING.

Strawberry Lane, from Preble avenue to P., Ft. W. & C. R. W.
Manhattan street, from Washington avenue to Nixon street.
Haines alley, from Manhattan street to Locust street.

GRADING ONLY.

Snyder street, from Short street to line of H. Kreiling's property.

Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of the City Engineer. The Committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

ap17:a66 JAMES BROWN, Controller.

OFFICE OF THE CITY ENGINEER,
CITY OF ALLEGHENY, April 16, 1874.

TO SEWER CONTRACTORS.—THE Sewerage Commission of the City of Allegheny are prepared to receive bids for the construction of the following Sewers, with their appurtenances, manholes, inlets, &c.

CONTRACT No. 1—Comprising about 690 feet of 18 inch Pipe Sewer on Buena Vista street, from North avenue to Taylor avenue.

CONTRACT No. 2—Comprising about 250 feet of 18 inch Vitrified Pipe sewer on Allegheny avenue, from Rebecca street to the Ohio river.

CONTRACT No. 3—Comprising about 300 feet of 18 inch Pipe Sewer on Troy Hill road from present terminus of Ravine street sewer to Gang street.

CONTRACT No. 4—Comprising about 214 feet of 18 inch Pipe sewer on Western avenue, from the present terminus of main sewer at Rope alley to Lyon's east line.

CONTRACT No. 5—Comprising about 180 feet of 15 inch Pipe sewer on Sandusky street, from Whiston alley to North Diamond street.

Drawings and specifications can be seen and full information given at this office.

Bids must be endorsed "Sewer Proposals," and delivered on or before 2 o'clock P. M., THURSDAY, April 23d, 1874.

The Commission reserve the right to reject any or all bids. By order of the Commission.

ap16:91 CHAS. DAVIS, City Engineer.

To Contractors.

Extension of Time.

SEALED PROPOSALS

Will be received at the office of the City Clerk, up till the 25th day of April, 1874, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the Grading and Masonry on

SOHO, BOSTON, WADSWORTH AND EMMETT STREETS.

Plans can be seen and all information given relative thereto at the office of the Engineers, JOHNSTON & WELLS, Room 41, Municipal Hall.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject or accept the whole or any portion of any bids.

Bids must be accompanied with bonds as required by the city.

C. L. MAGEE,
E. P. JONES,
S. WHITEHOUSE,
J. M. GAZZAM,
EVAN JONES,
ap21 Commissioners.

PROPOSALS

FOR

Wrought Iron I Beams

AND COLUMNS,

For the Rock Island Arsenal, Ill.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this Arsenal until 10 A. M., Friday, May 8, 1874, for furnishing the Wrought Iron I Beams, Columns, Separators, and Angle Irons, for two stories of one shop at this Arsenal.

The Beams are required for floors, and the floors must be of the same general character as those already built.

The Beams required are 15", 12" and 9", both light and heavy.

The columns must support: some 60,000, some 80,000 lbs. For further details apply to the Commanding Officer of Rock Island Arsenal, Ill.

The Columns and Beams for one story are required to be delivered before July 1, 1874, and those for the other story before July 1, 1875, if required by the Commanding Officer of the Rock Island Arsenal.

Bidders will state the price per pound throughout, delivered on the cars at the Rock Island Arsenal.

Payments will be made on delivery of the Iron, or as soon thereafter as funds shall be furnished for the purpose by the United States.

Ten per cent. on each partial payment will be deducted until the fulfillment of the contract.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids if deemed unsatisfactory.

Proposals should be addressed to the Commanding Officer, Rock Island Arsenal, and endorsed "Proposals for Iron."

D. W. FLAGLER,
Capt. of Ordnance,
Bvt. Lieut. Col. U. S. A., Commanding.
Rock Island Arsenal, Ill., April 11, 1874.

PROPOSALS

FOR

Army Transportation.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF TEXAS,
OFFICE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER,
SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, April 15, 1874.

Sealed Proposals, in triplicate, under the usual conditions heretofore published, will be received at this office until 11 A. M., Friday, May 15, 1874, for the transportation of Military, Indian and Government supplies, in the Department of Texas, during the year beginning July 1, 1874, and ending June 30, 1875.

These contracts embrace the movements of all Government supplies from New Orleans to the Texas posts, their movements from points on the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway to Forts Sill, Griffin and Richardson, transfer from the coast to San Antonio and thence to the frontier posts, to Fort Brown, and thence to Ringgold Barracks and Fort McIntosh.

Full information, form of Proposals, contracts, etc., can be obtained from the Post Quartermaster at Fort Brown, Texas, Austin, Texas, and Denison, Texas, from the Quartermaster at New Orleans, La., Chicago, Ill., St. Louis, Mo., and from the undersigned.

Bidders must be present in person, or represented by duly authorized agents present, and be prepared to show that they are responsible, and that they will complete the necessary contract, if awarded to them.

By authority of the Department [illegible]
S. B. HOLABIRD,
Deputy Quartermaster General U. S. A.,
Chief Quartermaster.

Proposals for Military Supplies

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF THE SOUTH,
OFFICE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER,
LOUISVILLE, KY., April 15, 1874.

Sealed Proposals, (in triplicate) under the usual conditions, will be received at this office, and also at the offices of the United States Quartermasters at the several Posts named below, until 12 o'clock M., on Wednesday, the 20th day of May, 1874, for the delivery of military supplies, during the fiscal year, beginning July 1st, 1874, and ending June 30th, 1875, as follows:

Wood, Coal, Corn, Oats, Hay and Straw, at the following named Posts; Louisville, Lebanon, Lancaster, and Frankfort, Ky.; Nashville, Humboldt, and Chattanooga, Tenn.; Huntsville and Mount Vernon, Ala.; Atlanta and Savannah, Ga.; Charleston, Columbia, Yorkville, and Newberry, S. C.; Fort Johnston, Fort Macon, and Raleigh, N. C., and St. Augustine, Fla.

Bids for any portion of the supplies will be entertained.

The Government reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Blank Proposals and printed Circulars showing the estimated quantities required at each Post, and giving full instructions as to the manner of bidding, and the terms of contract and payment, can be obtained by personal or written application to the Quartermasters at the various Posts, or to this office.

JAMES A. EKIN,
Deputy Quartermaster General,
Chief Quartermaster, Department of the South.

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263 Liberty Street.

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DRUM & KUHN,

Architects,

Office—North-East corner Wood and Fifth avenue, Third Floor.

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BARR & MOSER,

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SAM'L A. LONG, Vice President and Business Manager.

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DAILY GAZETTE.

FINANCIAL.

Latest Advices Concerning Money and Stock Matters.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, TUESDAY, April 22, 1874.

There is no noticeable improvement to record in local finances; on the contrary, it should be said that the banks, as a rule, have all the paper offering they are able to discount. There is a decidedly gloomy feeling abroad, and paper is closely scrutinized, and discounted cautiously. The accumulation of funds, however, is not large, and the demand has grown very decidedly of late. The worst phase of affairs relates to the iron business. The prospects are not at this time at all encouraging to this one principal industry. A strike of puddlers occurred in one of our mills yesterday, and the mill was promptly closed. We hear also of other mills closing, either from anticipation of trouble with their workmen, or from the general depression of trade. General business is moderately active.

The Wall street markets showed but a slight recovery from the panic of the day previous. Until the President signs the bill passed by Congress the market and business will remain very unsettled. The bill in question, being inflated in name, but contraction in practice, entails the evils of both without the benefits of either; hence the gold premium remains firmly upheld by the nominal enlargement of the currency, whilst business is deranged and values unsettled by practical annihilation of capital that is sure to ensue.

Saturday's *Financial Chronicle* gives an abstract of the recent reports of the Pennsylvania Railroad, for its own lines and its vast system of leased roads. Its leases resulted in a considerable loss for the year ending December 31, 1873; viz., $685,689 on the United Companies of New Jersey, $922,781 on other lines east of Pittsburgh, and $399 245 on lines west of Pittsburgh, making a total loss by leases of $2,007,715 for 1873. From the roads under lease which are familiar to our Stock Exchange, the results were as follows: A surplus of $904 855 from the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago, and $459,660 from the Cleveland and Pittsburgh, and a deficit of $72,198 upon the St. Louis, Alton and Terre Haute, and $1,110,159 upon Columbus, Chicago and Indiana Central. A review of the affairs of the Pennsylvania Railroad and the "Pennsylvania Company," of which concern the railroad owns $3,111,000 first mortgage seven per cent. gold bonds and $8 000,000 preferred six per cent. stock, must of course be drawn from the reports themselves, and not from the *Chronicle's* useful and timely compilation.

Railroad earnings are understood to be coming in better as the season advances; favorable specimens of which are the St. Paul road, gaining $25,000 for the first week of April and $27,000 the second week, and the Wabash, which showed $6 000 gain for the first week. These roads present the same number of miles as in 1873, and hence the improvement is real as well as nominal.

The following stocks were sold last evening by A. McIlwaine, auctioneer, at his stock sales rooms, 106 Smithfield street:

Bank of Pittsburgh	67	75
Iron City National Bank	97	00
Allegheny National Bank	68	00
M. and M. National Bank	67	25
Masonic Bank	60	25

Luther S. Kauffman, Broker, No. 96 Fourth Avenue, furnishes the following quotations of bonds and stocks from the latest advices by telegraph:

	Opened.	Closed.
Gold	114	113⅞
U. S. Sixes—1881—coupons	12 ¾	12⅛
5-20 1862	1 8¼	18¾
5-20—1864	12⅛	12⅛
" 1865	12 ¾	12⅞
" 1865 new	119⅜	119⅜
" 1867	12 ¾	12⅛
" 1868—coupons	12	119⅞
10-40's	114⅜	114⅜
Currency 6's	116⅛	116⅛
New 5 per cents	115	115⅜
10-40's—coupons	114⅞	114⅞
RAILWAYS.		
New York Central	97⅜	98⅜
Erie	35⅞	35⅞
B. H & E.	1¾	1¾
C. C. & I. C.	21⅜	22⅜
St. Paul	38	39⅛
Do. preferred	58	56
Michigan Southern	73⅜	74⅛
Do. Central	73	74
North Western Common	48	48⅜
Do. preferred	63⅜	65⅛
Rock Island	98⅜	99⅜
Cleveland & Pittsburgh	87	87
Pacific Mail	39⅜	37⅛
Western Union Telegraph	7 ⅜	7 ⅝
Ohio & Mississippi	27⅜	27⅛
Union Pacific	32⅜	33⅜
Toledo & Wabash	4 ⅜	42⅜
Harlem	124	124
Chicago and Alton	103	103
Adams Express	98	97⅜
American Express	60	60
U. S. Express	67	
W., Fargo & Co. Express	79	75
Terre Haute	11	
Panama	101	102⅛
Merchants Union Express	14⅜	15
Hannibal and St. Joseph	25	28

Messrs. Robinson Bros., bankers, No. 73 Fourth avenue, furnish the following quotations of active stock on the Philadelphia Stock Board to-day:

	Bid.	Asked
Penna. Central	51	
" " scrip	59	
Reading	58⅜	57
United Cos. of N. J.	121⅜	122
Oil Creek	11⅜	12⅛
Lehigh Valley	6 ⅜	
A. V. R. R 7-30	92	93
Central Transportation	43⅜	44⅜
Empire do.	52	53

NEW YORK, April 21, 1874.

The Treasury disbursements amounted to $25.000, and the customs receipts to $488,000. The produce exports for the week were $4,309 253, a decrease of $750,000 from last week. Money ranged 4@7 per cent., became easier in the afternoon, and closed offered at 4. Gold ranged 113⅝@114, and closed at 113⅞. The carrying rates were 2¼@7, and closed at 4. The clearings were $33,000,000. Sterling was quiet at 485¼@485⅜ for sixty days and 488⅜@488⅞ for sight. State bonds were weak, with a slight decline in Tennessees, old and new. Governments were steady. A meeting of the creditors of Capron & Merriam was held this afternoon, at which it was decided that the firm must settle on the basis of all transactions made at the board yesterday. It is believed the firm will do so and resume soon. Stocks were weak and feverish at the opening, and prices declined ⅛@2¼ below last night's closing quotations, Pacific Mail leading the decline on reports that the President had signed the finance bill and that Comptroller Knox would immediately carry its banking provisions into effect. Later the market became strong on contradictions of these rumors, and prices advanced ⅜@3¼. After two o'clock a fresh break of ⅛@1 per cent. occurred. In final dealings there was a recovery of the general market on Washington telegrams that the President would sign the currency bill, with an accompanying recommendation for the passage of a more harmonious measure before the adjournment of Congress. The principal features were Western Union, Pacific Mail, C. C. & I. C., Northwest and Wabash. The total sales of the day were 295,000 shares, of which 90,000 were Western Union, 16,000 New York Central, 35,000 Pacific Mail, 38,000 Lake Shore, 33,000 Union Pacific, 16,000 Northwest Common, 6 500 Rock Island, 8,000 Wabash, 7,000 Ohios, and 24,800 C. C. & I. C.

Governments.—U. S. coupons of 1881, 121⅜; 5-20s of '62, 118¼; do of '64, 120; do of '65, 121⅜; do. new, 119⅜; do of '67, 120⅜; do of '68, 120; new 5s, 116⅜; 10-40s, 114⅜; currency 6s, 116⅜.

State Bonds.—Missouri 94⅜; Tennessee, old, 85; do new, 85; Virginia, new, 35; do old, 35; North Carolina old 24; do new, 21.

Stocks.—Canton, 72; Western Union Telegraph Co., 72⅜; Quicksilver, 30; Adams Express, 98; Wells, Fargo & Co. Express, 77; American Express, 61⅜; United States Express, ex div., 66; Pacific Mail, 41⅜; New York Central, 98⅜; Erie, 35⅞; do. preferred, 58; Harlem, 126; do preferred, 128; Michigan Central, 74; Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago, 87; Northwestern common, 48⅜; do preferred, 65⅜; Rock Island, 99⅜; New Jersey Central, 105⅜; St. Paul, 39⅜; do preferred, 56; Toledo & Wabash, 42⅜; do. preferred, 71; Fort Wayne, 93; Terre Haute, 11; do preferred, 22; Chicago & Alton, 103; do. preferred, 104; Ohio & Mississippi, 26⅜; Cleveland, Columbus & Cincinnati, 67; Burlington & Quincy, 102; Lake Shore, 74⅜; Panama, 102⅛; Illinois Central, [illegible]; Union Pacific, 33⅜; Central Pacific, 95; Union, 88⅜; Hartford & Erie, 1⅜; Delaware & Lackawanna, [illegible].

LONDON, April 21—5 P. M.—Consols, 92⅜@92⅞; 5-20s, 104; New York Central, 96; Erie, 33⅜; do. preferred [illegible].

PARIS, April 21.—Rentes, 58f 40c.

COMMERCIAL.

Condition of the Markets at Home and Abroad.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, TUESDAY, April 21, 1874.

Business in general while it is not as active as we would like to have it, is perhaps about all that can reasonably expected; and, notwithstanding there is a good deal of growling we do not know that it is much worse than usual at this particular time. It is true, the inquiry for nearly all the leading staples is confined mainly to supply immediate wants, but there is a very fair business in the aggregate, nevertheless; as regards values, there have been no important changes recently worthy of special notice.

APPLES—In light supply and prices are firm but unchanged, ranging from $4@6 per bbl, as to quality.

APPLE BUTTER—Sales at 7@8 cts per gal.

BEANS—In good supply and dull but unchanged; $2@2.25 per bushel.

BUTTER—The arrivals are not increasing any but the demand is falling off, hence the market is dull and as holders are anxious to realize prices are weak and drooping; prime to extra may be quoted at 34@36.

COUNTRY BACON—Country Shoulders, 7⅜@8; Clear Sides 9@9¼c; Hams, 9¼@10c. Country Lard 9@9¼.

CHEESE—New York is very stiff and advancing; we now no quote in job lots at 19. Sales of new Ohio at 16@17. Sweitzer 16@17.

CRANBERRIES—Quotable at from $15@18 ₩ bbl, as to quality and condition.

DRIED FRUIT—There is some inquiry for Apples but prices remain unchanged at 9 to 10 for quarters and 12 to 13c for sliced. Peaches 10 to 12 for mixed, and 14 to 15 for halves.

EGGS—The market is generally reported firm, although some dealers say that it is not difficult to obtain 18—may be fairly quoted at 17 to 18.

FLOUR—There is a fair local trade and the market is firm but unchanged. Spring wheat at $6.75@7.25; red winter wheat, $7.75@8.25; white wheat $8@9.00. Fancy Minnesota flours at $7.75. Rye flour at $5.75.

GRAIN—The receipts and offerings of grain continue meagre, but there does not appear to be much call for it, and prices remain substantially as last quoted: $1.50 to $1.55 for Pennsylvania and Ohio red and 7 to 10 cts. additional for white. The Oat market is firm with light receipts and a limited supply, but prices remain unchanged; we continue to quote at 58 to 60. Shelled Corn is scarce with considerable inquiry and prices are advancing; may now be quoted at 80 to 83, although we are conizant of one car of choice yellow having been sold at 84. Ear Corn is not much sought after, but prices are firm in sympathy with shelled. Rye is in demand and there is little or none offering; quotable at $1.00 to 1.05. Nothing doing in Barley.

GROCERIES—Trade continues moderately active, but the market in a general way presents nothing new or important. Our eastern advices report that Coffees have quieted down again, that there is no disposition to buy except for immediate requirements, and there is an evident apprehension that the next Rio telegram, which is being looked for with considerable anxiety, will be less favorable to the selling interest than the last one. Sugars are firm and the same is true of Molasses and Syrups. The product of Molasses in Cuba, it is said, is likely to be less than the usual proportion from the sugar cane of the crop just gathered, its superior strength and dryness producing a larger per centage of Sugar than usual, and therefore less of Molasses, and this of course is independent of the total yield of Sugar, which is estimated to be considerably short of last year. The same cause has diminished the yield of Syrups from Sugar refined in this country, and partly accounts for their scarcity on the seaboard.

COFFEE—Choice Rio, 30; prime, 29; good, 28, fair, 27¼. Roasted, 27@28 for 1 pound packages; loose, ½c less.

SUGARS—Patent Cut Loaf, 12¼; Crushed, Powdered and Granulated, 11¾c; Standard A, 10⅜; B, 10; Ex. C, 9⅝; Circle C, 9⅜; Franklin Extra C, 9¼; Franklin No. 2 Extra C, 9; American Extra C, 8⅞; Yellow Sugars, 8 to 9, as to quality.

SYRUPS—Extra White Drips, 70c; Sugar Drips, 80c; Amber, 60@65; lower grades, 35@40, as to quality.

MOLASSES—Strictly prime new crop New Orleans, 80c; fair to prime old, 70@75.

RICE—Choice Carolina, 9⅜; Patna, 8⅜c; Rangoon, 8@8¼c.

HOMINY—There is a very fair demand, but no change to note in rates: $5 ₩ bbl. to the trade and $5.50 in a jobbing way.

HAY—Baled is more sought after and prices are firm, but unchanged ranging from $8 to 23 per ton, according to quality and condition.

MAPLE SYRUP—Quotable at $1.10@1.15 for gallon jugs to the trade, and $1.20@1.25 in a jobbing way. Maple Sugar, in grain, 13@14 and 4@17 in cakes, as to quality.

POTATOES—Are in fair supply, the bulk of the arrivals recently having come from the east, but with a steady demand, there is no accumulation, and prices are fully sustained; quotable on track at $1.15 to 1.25 per bushel and up to $1.25 to 1.35, the outside figure for Peach Blows. Early Rose, $1 25 to 1 per bbl.

POULTRY—Dressed Chickens, 13@14c per lb, live, 75 to 85c per pair. Dressed Turkeys, 16@17c.

PROVISIONS—Hams—Extra Sugar Cured, 13 ₩ lb; canvassed, 13¼. Shoulders—Extra Sugar Cured, 9⅝; canvassed, 9¾. Breakfast Bacon—Sugar Cured 12; canvassed, 12⅜. Dried Beef—Extra Sugar Cured, 15½; canvassed, 17. Beef Tongues—Sugar Cured, $7.25 ₩ dozen. Bacon—Shoulders, 8¼; Clear Rib Sides, 9⅝; Short Rib Sides, 10⅜; Clear Rib Sides, 1 ⅜. Mess Pork, ₩ bbl., $18 50. Lard—Prime Leaf, in tierces, 11 ₩ lb. Refined summer use in tierces, 11⅜; half bris, 11⅜; buckets, 12¼; in 3 lb caddies, 13⅜; in 5 lb do, 13⅜; in 3 lb pails, 14⅜; in 5 lb do, 14⅜; in 10 lb do, 14. Ham Sausage, 10.

RAGS—Woolen, 1@1⅜ cents; Cotton, 3@3¼c.

SEEDS—Clover Seed, $5.50@6.75. Timothy $3@3.25. Flax Seed $2.25.

TALLOW—Sales at 6¾@7.

PITTSBURGH PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, TUESDAY, April 21, 1874.

The Crude market was quiet to-day operators generally being disposed to await the result of the meeting of the producers, which was to have taken place to-day; prices, however, are strong and the tendency is still upward. Quoted at 5@5¾ c ₩ gallon in bulk buyers delivered here, and $1.90@2 ₩ bbl at Parker. Refined, if anything, was firmer to-day, but the market was quiet, and as compared with yesterday, there was not much change in prices: April quoted at 15¾, and May at 15⅝@6. Refined does not stiffen up as quickly as the raw article, from which it is evident that exporters are a little "feerish" in their sympathies: however, unless there is a reaction in the latter, it is pretty certain there will have to be an advance in the former.

The barrel market is unsettled; sales of city make have been made at $1.75, yet we were informed by a broker that the best offer he could obtain to-day was $1.70.

CRUDE OIL RECEIVED BY ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.

Shipper	Consignee.	Bbls.
Fisher Bros.	Citizens O. W.	1
Fisher Bros.	Fairview O. W.	552
Stewart	Penn O. W.	77
Stevenson	Central O W.	77
Bushnell	Model O. W.	462
Bushnell	Standard O. W.	72
Owner	Petrolite O. W.	549
Fisher Bros.	Citizens O. W.	162
Fisher Bros.	Petrolite O. W.	266
Stewart	Sunbeam O. W.	474
Total		4,776

[Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Gazette.]
SMITH'S FERRY, Beaver Co., Pa., April 21, 1874.
Crude oil at C. & P. R. R. Station ₩ bbl. $1.47; at wells, $1.05.

New York Breadstuffs Market—Weekly Review.

NEW YORK April 20.—We have had quite an active market for Spring Wheat Flours. These have improved, and the consumption of them is decidedly on the increase, but Winter Wheat brands have been pressed for sale, and with only a limited local inquiry, they have declined; indeed they could only be sold to a moderate extent. Even at the concession the change in the character of the trade is very marked: and we wish to call the attention of millers and others in the interior to this radical change. Every week it is more and more noticeable. Millers should therefore act accordingly and purchase Wheat to correspond to the change in the market value of Winter Wheat to correspond to the change in the market value of Winter Wheat brands. The "New Process" is gradually growing in favor, and is displacing Family brands. The latter have been disposed at irregular and satisfactory prices. We have added to our stock of Winter Wheat brands, but of Spring there is some reduction in the supply, and we find the stock of Shipping Extras of desirable brands is very limited. This has enabled holders to establish an advance since our last of 25c ₩ bbl. at which the market closes strong. The orders for Shipping brands since our last have been largely in excess of the demand, and something has been done for forward delivery at prices within our range for delivery this and the early part of next month. Fancy brands of Minnesota Extras have sold freely and have slightly improved. City Ground flour has improved in sympathy with Wheat, but the extreme prices insisted on have prevented the filling West India orders, and other kinds have been taken instead. The stock of "New Process" has been in demand, but we find it very scarce. The exports of the week have been 26,4 7 bris against 27,814 bris the corresponding week last year.

Our Wheat market the past week has been far more active and at times quite excited. the favorable news from Europe, the large orders thence, the limited arrivals and material reduction in our stock have given a fresh impulse to the market, greatly stimulating the views of holders, and but for the material advance in the rates of freight and the absence of tonnage the activity and improvement would have been still more noticeable. The cold weather at the North-West preventing the resumption of lake navigation, has given holders a further advantage and stimulated the inquiry for the early future as well as for that on the Canal, and the business of the week has been large and at satisfactory prices. The movement in the crop at the West has been larger, but chiefly from points where it had accumulated during the Winter, but farmers have not been free sellers, the major part of them being actively employed putting in their Spring seed and fine progress has been made. About half the seed is in the ground and ere the close of the month we may safely count on its all being in, and a large increase in the area is reported thus far. From the Winter Wheat-growing States the reports are unsatisfactory; the injury to the plant on clay land is serious, but on sandy soil the injury is very slight. In the State of Ohio one correspondent estimates the loss at one half the crop; in Indiana there being less clay soil under wheat the damage is not so great. In Michigan the injury is comparatively moderate, the plant being better protected with snow. The supplies of wheat now afloat for Great Britain are falling off, and are about 1,335,670 qrs, against some 1,540,000 qrs, the corresponding time last year. The advance since our last is 2@3c. per bushel on Spring, and 3@4c. on Winter, the latter in very light supply. The exports of the week are 282 624 bush., against 96,089 bush. the same time last year.—*Tribune.*

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Chicago.

CHICAGO, April 21, 1874.

FLOUR—Quiet and unchanged.

GRAIN—Wheat dull and declined, closing with part of the decline recovered; No 1 spring $1.30; No 2 $1.25; No 3 $1.20⅜@1.20⅞; rejected $1.12. Corn dull and unsettled; No 2 mixed 63⅜c cash; 64c seller April; 64⅝c seller May. Oats steady and in moderate demand; No 45c cash; 46⅝c seller May; rejected 44⅜@44⅜c. Rye steady and in moderate demand; No 2 92⅜c. Barley quiet and unchanged; No 2 $1.57.

PROVISIONS—Pork quiet and a shade lower; $16.75 cash; $16.70 seller May; $16.80 seller June. Lard demand active and prices advance; $9 05 cash; $9.87⅜@10.00 seller May. Bulk meats steady and in moderate demand for shoulders at 5⅞@6c; active for sides; short rib middles 7⅜c, loose.

WHISKY—Steady and in moderate demand at 94c.

New York.

NEW YORK, April 21.—Cotton dull at 17⅜c. Flour dull and lower; superfine western and State $5 85@6 15; extra Ohio $6.35@8 65; St. Louis $6.85@11 Wheat dull and nominally lower; No 2 spring $1.54@1.56; No 2 Milwaukee $1.57@1 60. Rye, Barley and Malt quiet and unchanged. Corn in fair demand; western yellow 88@90; old western mixed 87@89c. Oats steady; mixed western 61@63c; white 63@65c. Hay, hops and groceries quiet. Sugar a shade firmer; 7⅜@7 13-16c. Rice quiet at 7⅜@7⅞c. Petroleum dull; crude 7¾@7⅞c; refined 15⅜c. Turpentine firm at 45c. Pork firm at $17.@17.12⅜. Beef unchanged. Middles firmer; short clear 10c; short clear 10¼@10½c. Lard firm at $9.70@9.75. Butter steady at 32@40c. Cheese quiet. Whisky lower at 96⅜@96½c.

Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, April 21.—Cotton steady at 17c. Flour and Oats quiet and unchanged. Wheat steady at $1.48. Corn dull at 68@69c. Rye active at $1.05. Barley firm at $1.52. Pork demand fair and market firm; sales at $17.00@17.37⅜. Lard steady; steam 9⅜@10c; kettle 10c. Bulk Meats steady and in moderate demand; shoulders 6⅜c; clear rib 8⅜c; clear 8¾c. Bacon: demand fair and market firm at 7⅜@9⅜ packed; shoulders 6⅜c; clear rib 9⅜c; clear 9⅜c; also sales of shoulders at 6⅜c; clear sides 9⅜c. Whisky demand fair and market firm at 93c.

Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, April 21.—Flour firm; super $4.85@5.90. Wheat dull; red $1.80@1.85. Corn dull at 85@88c. Oats weak at 65@66c. Rye firm at $1.03@1.05.

Provisions buoyant. Pork $17.50. Bulk shoulders 6⅞@7; sides 9⅜; Bacon: shoulders 7¾c; clear rib 10¼c. Butter firm 22@36. Lard 10½c. Coffee firm at 21⅜@23¼c. Whisky quiet at $1.

Cotton.

NEW ORLEANS, April 21.—Cotton: demand moderate: sales of 2,900 bales; the movement is checked by the strength of factors, closing strong; good ordinary to strict good ordinary 15⅜@16c; low middling to strict low middling 16⅜@17c; middling to strict middling 17⅜@17⅜c; good middling 17⅝c; receipts 84 bales; exports to continent 425; coastwise 535; Great Britain 6,010; stock 185,168; unsold 78,900.

Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, April 21.—Flour firm; superfine $4.75. Wheat at 17; red $1.68@1 82. Corn, yellow 84. Oats quiet at 62@65c. Whisky 98c. Provisions have an advancing tendency. Pork $17.75. Lard 10⅜@10⅜c. Petroleum quiet and firm; refined 15⅜c.

Foreign.

LIVERPOOL, April 21.—Cotton strong at 8⅜@8⅞c; sales of 15,000 bales; American 98,000; speculation and export 3,000. Breadstuffs quiet and unchanged. Lard 46s. Bacon: long clear mid les 44s; short clear mid les 46s 6d.

LONDON, April 21.—Tallow 37s 6d@38s.

Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, April 21.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat steady and in moderate demand; No 1 Milwaukee $1.35; No 2 $1.28⅜ gold; No 2 45⅜c. Corn steady and in fair rate demand; No 2 mixed 63⅜c. Rye dull and nominal; No 1 81⅜c. Barley nominal; No 1 $1.60; No 2 $1.35.

Toledo.

TOLEDO, April 21.—Flour and oats quiet and unchanged. Wheat dull and declined; No 1 white Wabash $1.65; amber Michigan $1.49; No 1 red $1.60⅜@1.59⅝. Corn dull and declined; high mixed 72⅜c; seller May 71⅜c; seller June; low mixed 72⅜c; no grade 69@72c; damaged 71⅜c.

Memphis.

MEMPHIS, April 21.—Cotton dull; middling 17c. Flour dull at $5.00@9. Corn active at 82@84c. Oats active at 61@62c. Hay active at 10⅜@10⅜c. Bacon active at 7⅜@10@10⅜c.

New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, April 21.—Corn firmer; white and yellow 85c. Oats 61@63c. Lard scarce and higher; refined tierces held at 10⅜c; offered 10⅜c. Corn meal scarce at $3.80@3.85. Others unchanged.

Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, April 21.—Cotton, flour and grain quiet and unchanged. Pork $17. Bulk shoulders 6⅜c; sides 9@9⅜c. Bacon: shoulders 7⅜c; sides 9⅜@10. Lard 10⅜@10⅜c. Whisky steady at 93c.

Nashville.

NASHVILLE, April 21.—Cotton, flour grain, and provisions quiet and unchanged. Whisky dull and unsettled at 97c.

Oswego.

OSWEGO, April 21.—Wheat dull; choice white Canada $1.85. No. 1 Milwaukee $1.67. Corn quiet and firm; held at 82@84c.

Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, April 21.—Grain quiet and unchanged. Petroleum steady; standard white in car lots 12⅜@12⅜c; Ohio State test 13, 15@15⅜c.

Live Stock.

BUFFALO, April 21.—Cattle: receipts 1,872; total for the week 5 729; market at a dead-lock, owners asking full last week's prices, and buyers demanding a concession of ⅛@⅜c; the eastern markets are reported demoralized, with a large surplus of stock on hand; the only sales reported were 150 Illinois steers, 1,204, 220 lbs, at $5.50@6; 24 Illinois steers, 220 lbs, $6.37⅜; 17 native steers, 1,030 lbs, $5.40; 21 Indiana steers 813 lbs, $4; 36 Cherokee steers, 1,059 lbs, $5.25; 16 Ohio steers, 1,090 lbs, $5.50. Sheep and Lambs: receipts 400; total for the week 6,000; market fairly open; very light; sales reported were 174 Ohio clipped sheep, 116 lbs, $6 37⅜; 158 Indiana sheep, 82 lbs, $6.50; 127 Illinois sheep, 101 lbs, $7.70. Hogs: receipts 700; total for the week 10 600; market active; Yorkers $5.75@5.75; heavy hogs $5.90@6.

CHICAGO April 21.—Cattle: receipts 3 276 head; market rather more active; prices steady; sales; fair to choice steers $5.15@5 95; extra $6.15@6 37⅜; fair to choice Texans $4 15@5.25; shipments 2,768. Hogs: receipts 14 000; market active, firm and unchanged at $5.75@6 00 for poor to choice; most sales at $5 65@5 75; shipments 7,000. Sheep: receipts 750; market quiet and unchanged at $5.75@7.00 for fair to choice.

WATERTOWN, Mass., April 21.—Beef cattle: receipts 811; supply light; dealers asking last week's prices; choice $9.75@9.87⅜; extra $8 75@9.50; first quality $9 75@8.50; second, $8 50@7 50; third, $5.50@6.25. Sheep and Lambs: receipts 1,225; last week's prices are poorly sustained; sales in lots at $4@5.25 each; extra $5.75@5.85.

Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, April 21.—There was rather more activity in the jobbing trade, and a fair amount of business was transacted by agents in cotton goods, which are in steady demand and firm at current rates. Lonsdale shirting is advanced by agents to 12⅜c. Blackstone A A to 12⅜, and Hope to 11⅜c. Prints and printed shirtings are in good demand. Ginghams are quiet. Woolens are dull. Black mohairs and gros grains are fairly active.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO R. R.—1 car iron Moorhead & Co; 200 bbls flour Jones & L; 10 bris 40 sks flour H Jones; 120 bris eggs 2 pkgs butter W H Graff & Co; 52 bris eggs 300 sks oats H J McCracken & Bro; 1 car lumber South Planing Mill; 20 bxs maple sugar 21 bris eggs Voigt & Co; 5 do eggs P Sullivan; 25 do apples Head & Co; 53 doz brooms Johnston & Co; 25 bxs soap J S Dilworth & Co; 25 do Caskey & S; 25 do Haworth & D; 25 do candles Voigt & McGraw; 1 car staves J H Lotz; 1 do lumber Dunbar & Co; 1 do J H Hays & Co; 41 bxs cheese Braden & P; 2 cars potatoes Bricker & Son; 1 car lumber C Rogers; 1 do shingles H Brown & Co; 1 do W Dilworth Jr; 2 cars hay Scott & G; 100 bris lime Mills & Co; 2 cks wine H Evert; 10 bris oil A D Clark; 1 car hay M F Heuner; 1 car flour F H Seglemeyer; 1 car shingles D Leonard; 1 do oats W G Miller; 4 do lead Fahnestock H & Co; 100 bris flour Houck M & Co; 1 car malt M Meek; 50 tcs lard E H Myers & C; 5 cars flour Owners; 1 do barley J Alexander; 1 do flour Shomaker & Co; 4 do iron W McKinney & Son; 6 bris eggs J H Loh & Co; 60 tkgs lard Watt L & Co; 10 bris brandy Getty & Co; 10 do spirits M Grogan; 50 pkgs crackers Kramer & V; 10 bris spirits S McCrickert & Co; 25 do F Evert.

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI & ST. LOUIS R. R.—400 sks flour T C Jenkins, 15 tcs hams Schomaker & Co, 20 s pipes G Bowen, 14 bris eggs apples Voigt M & Co, 24 cad tob Curry & C, 100 bdls paper Hostetter and S; 1 car oats D G Stewart, 10 pails tob Wolfe Bro, 3 sks rags McCullough & Co, 18 do cats and rye W Welsh & Co, 7 bbs tob M Heyl, 1 car rye W J Meek, 1 do corn G Stewart, 16 sks feathers Dickey & Co, 100 bris flour Adams & K, 10 do oil Kaux & O.

ALLEGHENY STATION—25 tcs hams, Wilson Bro; 1 car staves, Chas Albright; 15 do brooms, Koerner Bro; 40 sks flour, W F Hackiman; 1 bri alcohol, W H Britt; 4 bris eggs, Geo McFerren; Bro; 1 car flour, Hack & S; 1 car lime, Robinson & Wilson; 2 do Holmes & Co; 1 car lumber, Reed & Bro; 8 sks flour, John Gault; 1 bri eggs F P Kohen.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD—1 car ice Conn L 1 Co, 1 do lime W J Laughlin, 3 do stone J L Lowrie, 375 bush potatoes C N Rupp, 7 do Vangorder and S, 50 bxs starch C Reis, 1 car lumber W F Wilson, 74 do coal N Y & C G Co, 2 do Sible C Co, 6 do Armstrong D and Co, 32 do lime Isabella F Co, 1 do iron McKinney and Sons.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH R. R.—1 car oats Elwood & H, 125 bgs corn 273 do oats McBane & A, 4 bxs tin H McCandless, 6 pkgs sand D Breen, 75 do butter Lindsey S & Co, 30 do chairs F M Irwin, 1 car meal Dunlevy & S, 2 bris C A Hancock, 20 do B D Moore, 2 firkins butter W H Graff & Co.

RECEIPTS AT PITTSBURGH GRAIN ELEVATOR—2 cars corn W Welsh, 2 do barley J Rhodes.

Receipts Pig Metal, Ore and Blooms.

PITTSBURGH FT. WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILROAD, P. R. R. LESSEE.

Nimick & Co m	3	Harbaugh & M. m	8
Lewis O & P o	2	A Reynolds. m	4
Loomis & Co m	1	J Rosmer. m	10
Gibson R and Co m	4	Graff B & Co m	1
Brown & Co m	11	Jas Burns	2
J W Porter m	6		
Total			53

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH R. R.

Isabella Furnace o	20	Lewis O & P m	4
McKnight D and Co m	4	Wilson & Co m	1
Brown & Co. m	1	Reese G & W o	3
S. B. Co o	16	W Clark & Co o	1
Total			51

ALLEGHENY VALLEY R R.

Graff B & Co o	6

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RIVER PACKETS.

For Cincinnati.
THURSDAY, April 23—4 P. M.
THE FINE PASSENGER STEAMER
JUNIATA.
C. L. BRENNAN..............Commander
WM. S. DRAVO..............Clerk
Will leave as announced above.
Giving through receipts to Evansville, Nashville, Cairo, St. Louis, Memphis, Vicksburg and New Orleans. For Freight or Passage apply on board or to FAIRMAN & HENDERSON, FLACK & COLLINGWOOD, Agents.

For Louisville, Evansville, Cairo and St. Louis.
WEDNESDAY, April 22—4 P. M.
STEAMER
WILD DUCK AND BARGES.
C. F. ADAMS..............Master
Will give through bills of lading to Keokuk, Burlington, Davenport, Dubuque, La Crosse, St. Paul, Kansas City, St. Joe, Lawrence, Omaha, Sioux City, Denver, San Francisco, Nashville, Memphis, New Orleans, Shreveport, Jefferson and all points South and Southwest. For lowest rates apply to GHRIEST & MACKEY, or FLACK & COLLINGWOOD, Agents.

For Evansville, Cairo and St. Louis.
SATURDAY, April 25—3 P. M.
THE ELEGANT PASSENGER STEAMER
BELLE OF SHREVEPORT.
THOS. W. REA..............Master
W. A. DOHRMAN, L. J. CONROY, } Clerks.
Will leave as announced above.
For Freight or Passage apply on board, or to FAIRMAN & HENDERSON, Agents.

For Louisville, Evansville, Cairo and St. Louis.
WEDNESDAY, April 22, at 4 P. M.
THE SPLENDID TOWBOAT,
ROVER AND BARGES.
THOS. GREENLEE..............Commander
Will give through bills of lading to Keokuk, Burlington, Davenport, Dubuque, La Crosse, St. Paul, Kansas City, St. Joe, Lawrence, Omaha, Sioux City, Denver, San Francisco, Nashville, Memphis, New Orleans, Shreveport, Jefferson and all points South and Southwest. For lowest rates apply to
R. C. GRAY, 94 Water street.

LEGAL.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.—LETTERS testamentary to the estate of J. G. Comstock, esq., late of Sharpsburg, Pa., have been granted to the undersigned. Persons having claims against the estate will present them for settlement, and those indebted to the estate will make payment immediately to the undersigned at Sharpsburg, Pa.
H. F. DUNHAM.
LETITIA COMSTOCK.
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IN THE MATTER OF THE ACCOUNT of Charles P. Whiston, Committee of the estate of SAMUEL STEWART, a lunatic. In the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny county, Pa., No. 744 December T., 1870. And now, April 18, 1874, account of Committee filed and the same will be confirmed on the first Monday of June, 1874, unless exceptions are filed thereto. By order of the court.
ap21:s82 CHAS. P. WHISTON, Committee.

NOTICE.—LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION to the Estate of THOMAS F. SMITH, late of the city of Pittsburgh, deceased, having been granted to the subscriber, all persons indebted to the said Estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent will make known the same, without delay, to
GEORGE SMITH, Administrator.
At the office of J. S. & A. P. Morrison, Attorneys-at-Law,
mh18:z36-w 142 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.—LETTERS Testamentary have been granted to the undersigned on the Estate of MARGARET WALTER, late of Tarentum Borough, deceased. Persons indebted to said Estate will make immediate payment, and those having claims will present them, duly authenticated, for settlement.
WM. V. EVANS, Executor,
Tarentum, Allegheny county, Pa.
MARCH 10, 1874. mh11:99 W

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER, CITY OF ALLEGHENY, April 15, 1874.
NOTICE.—THE ASSESSMENT FOR the grading of REFUGE STREET, from Kerr street to Superior street, is now ready for examination and can be seen at this office until SATURDAY, April 25, 1874, when it will be placed in the hands of the City Controller to serve notices for the payment of the same.
ap16-585 CHAS DAVIS, City Engineer.

OFFICE OF CONTROLLER, CITY OF ALLEGHENY, PA., April 9, 1874.
NOTICE TO PARTIES INTERESTED. —The report of the Viewers on the opening of CALIFORNIA AVENUE, from Strawberry lane to Sedgwick having been finally confirmed, notice is hereby given that the assessment for benefits are now due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer. If not paid within sixty days from this date, liens will be filed on the unpaid assessments with interest, costs and fees.
ap9:560 JAMES BROWN, Controller.

RIVER NEWS.

State of the Rivers, Movements of Steamboats, &c.

The river continues to rise steadily at this point with thirteen feet in the channel. The Allegheny was rising above with seven feet at Oil city and six feet six inches at Parker. Monongahela stationary with 14 feet 3 inches in the channel at Brownsville. Weather cool and cloudy.

The Belle of Shreveport, a large and elegant stern wheeler, arrived from St. Louis, and as will be seen by card, she is announced for a return trip forthwith. Capt. Thos. W. Rea is in command and Mr H A. Dohrman has charge of the office.

The Carrie Brooks departed for Zanesville with a moderate trip.

The fine sidewheel Juniata, Capt. C. L Brennan, is announced for Cincinnati, and take her departure to-morrow evening. Messrs. Dravo and Sloane are associated together in the office.

The Wild Duck is filling up steadily for St. Louis and intermediate points, and will soon be ready to take her departure.

The R. W. Skillinger from Cincinnati, is due here to-night.

The Rover and barges is announced for St. Louis forthwith. She has, among other items of freight, a large quantity of cannon balls destined for the arsenal at Rock Island.

The case of the owners of the steamer R J. Lockwood vs. Eureka Insurance is on trial. This is an action brought to recover insurance on the steamer in question, which was sunk at the port of St. Louis by the ice several years ago. Captain Rea, of the Belle of Shreveport, is an interested party.

The Enterprise was to have left yesterday for Louisville with a tow of coal.

Captain W. H. Dorsey is pilot on the steamer Era No 9, connected with Robinson's circus fleet.

Marsh Hays and Wm. Williamson piloted the Belle of Shreveport up from Cincinnati. The Belle is said to be a 1,200 ton boat; the hull was built at Metropolis and the boat was completed at St. Louis.

—Friday's Louisville "Ledger" says: J. N. Ozee, of Cave-in-Rock, was robbed on the steamer Arlington, several nights ago of about $1,000. He had been in Memphis most of the winter on business connected with flatboats, and was on his way home. His statement is, that while he was asleep in his state room, in vicinity of Hickman somebody removed his wallet containing the above amount from under his pillow. Aroused by the act he grasped a pistol and fired at the thief as he was about fleeing through the door, the shot, however, taking effect in Ozee's own left arm, and causing a slight wound. Search was at once made through the boat but Ozee's could neither identify the thief nor get trace of the money.

—Yesterday's Cincinnati "Commercial" says: The Tigress, Brilliant, Panther, John Penny, Mount Clare and Sam. Parker, with tows of empty barges, passed up.—The Messenger has 5.0 tons, including 45,000 brick, 900 gallons stoneware, for Nashville, 200 tons for Madison, Louisville and Evansville, and reshipping 12 tons on the Exporter for New Orleans.—The Fearless, with two barges of iron ore, arrived from St. Louis. She will return to St. Louis from here, taking the tow of the Abe McDonald, due from Pittsburgh. The McDonald will take most of the tow of the Fearless to Pittsburgh.—ST. LOUIS April 20—The Mollie Ebert left for Pittsburgh with 600 tons, 450 of which is pig iron and the rest miscellaneous freight.

—Yesterday's Cincinnati "Gazette" says: The St. Louis & Illinois River Packet Company has bought the Lady Lee for $11,000. She is three years old, and her last valuation by the underwriters was $26,000.—The Mary Davage, took a tow of coal to Louisville last week burnt her boilers, and is now lying there repairing. She will take a barge ore and some empty barges to Pittsburgh.—The following amounts of government freight are now awaiting transportation at Sioux City: For Fort Benton 84,640 lbs; Fort Lincoln 234,050 lbs; Fort Stevenson 29 830 lbs; Fort Buford 57,700 lbs; Fort Rice 118,200 lbs; Grand River Agency 57,750 lbs; Fort Sully 116,300 lbs; Lower Brule Agency 39,110 lbs; Fort Randall 134,040 lbs; Cheyenne Agency 29,950.

—The Louisville "Courier" of Monday, says: The Fearless left St. Louis with five barges of iron ore. The Hornet went down and assisted her to the falls. The Fearless and Hornet brought up three barges yesterday morning, went back and brought the other two up. The Fearless then took three barges and the Hornet two and left for Ironton. The Fearless will meet the Abe McDonald and tow between here and Cincinnati, when they will "swap" tows, the Fearless returning to this city.

—A late St. Louis paper says: Captain A. Phillips comes back triumphant from the North. He saw Keokuk, Quincy, Hannibal, &c, and conquered. He petitioned town after town, and city after city, for a reduction of wharfage or an entire abolishment of the same. He succeeded with nearly every point. Quincy having surrendered, and Keokuk is to take action at once.

—The following items are from the Wheeling "Intelligencer" of Tuesday: The towboat James Hobson yesterday left for Marietta, to bring up the United States dredge boat Ohio, now lying at that point.—The dredge boat Oswego, lying at the wharf, will be towed to Pittsburgh by another steamer in a day or two.—Tow boats Lion and Diamond passed up yesterday with empty barges.

—The Sioux City "Journal" of the 18th says: We are informed that the ice moved out of the river at Bismarck on the 9th. The May Lowry was still this side of Green Point the middle of yesterday afternoon. The main channel of the Missouri, for the first time in over ten years, hugs her shore along the whole length of our city front.

—The Vicksburg "Herald" 14th says: Two steamboatmen named Noonan and Newell had a fight on the levee yesterday, in which the former was badly cut with a knife. Noonan was formerly a watchman on the Hurt, and Newell filled the same position on the Gasconade. Both were arrested.

—Anderson Slade has libelled the steamer St. Mary, at New Orleans. The Marshal has been induced to interfere with the steamer Mollie Moore, at the instance of an impecunious and ratty individual named Thomas Fehan.

—The Taos F. Eckert goes from Cairo to St. Louis to pump out the transfer boat Nile, and will probably summer there.

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"ARMENIA"
INSURANCE COMPANY
OF PITTSBURGH, PA.

Office in First National Bank Building, Corner Fifth avenue and Wood street.

CASH CAPITAL..............$250,000 00
CASH ASSETS, Jan. 1st, 1874..............$27,644 83

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RAILROADS.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.—ON and after Sunday, November 23, 1873, trains will leave Union Depot, Pittsburgh as follows:

MAIN LINE EASTWARD.
PACIFIC EXPRESS daily, at 2.30 a. m., arriving at Harrisburg 11:30 a. m., Philadelphia 4:10 p. m., New York 7:35 p. m.
CINCINNATI EXPRESS daily, at 12:00 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg 10:40 p. m., Philadelphia 2:50 a. m., New York 6:35 a. m., Baltimore 2:50 a. m., Washington 6:12 a. m.
PHILADELPHIA EXPRESS daily, except Sunday, 4:40 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg 3:15 a. m., Philadelphia 8:00 a. m., New York 11:33 a. m.
FAST LINE daily, at 7:30 p. m. arriving at Harrisburg 5:00 a. m., Philadelphia 9:10 a. m., New York 12:33 p. m., Baltimore 9:33 a. m., Washington 10:35 a. m.
WALL'S ACCOMMODATION 6:05, 10:20, 11:45 a. m. 3:10 and 11:20 p. m. Sunday, 12:40 p. m.
BRINTON ACCOMMODATION, 7:00 a. m., 4:50, 5:20 and 9:20 p. m. Sunday, 9:20 p. m.
WILKINSBURG ACCOMMODATION..........2:40p. m.
JOHNSTOWN ACCOMMODATION..........
Trains arrive at Union Depot as follows:

MAIN LINE WESTWARD.
Mail Train daily, except Monday..........1:00a.m.
Fast Line daily, except Monday..........1:55a.m.
Pittsburgh Express daily, except Monday..........5:00a.m.
Cincinnati Express daily..........1:00p.m.
Pacific Express daily..........1:50p.m.
Way Passenger daily..........8.00p.m.
Wall's Accommodation, 6:00 and 6:55 a. m., 1:55, 2:40 and 5:45 p. m. Sunday, 10:00 a. m.
Brinton Accommodation, 7:40 and 9:00 a. m., 6:45, 7:35 and 11:10 p. m.
Wilkinsburg Accommodation..........4:45p. m.
Johnstown Accommodation..........
WEST PENNSYLVANIA DIVISION
From Federal street Depot, Allegheny City.
MAIL TRAIN, connecting for Butler..........6:25a. m.
EXPRESS connecting for Butler..........2:15p. m.
FREEPORT ACCOM..........9:30a. m. and 4:17p. m.
SPRINGDALE ACCOM..........8:05 and 6:10 p. m. Saturday 12:50 p. m.
FAIRVIEW ACCOMMODATION..........10:00a. m.
Trains arrive at Federal street Depot:
Express, connecting from Butler..........
Mail Train, connecting from Butler..........5:40p. m.
Freeport Accommodation..........8:00a. m. and 6:00 p. m.
Springdale Accom., 6:50 a. m. and 6:05 p. m. Saturday 2:50 p. m.
Fairview Accommodation..........12:30p. m.
The Excelsior Baggage Express Company will call for and check baggage from hotels and residences. Time cards and full information can be obtained at the ticket offices, No. 78 Fifth avenue, and at the Union Depot.
D. M. BOYD, JR., General Passenger Agent.
A. J. CASSATT, General Manager.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO RAILWAY, CLEVELAND & PITTSBURGH RAILROAD. On and after March 29, 1874, Trains will leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, City Time, as follows:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Fast Line	2:38am	Pacific Express	9:55am
Chicago Mail	6:10am	Wheeling Ex.	11:05am
Cl. & Wh'g M'l	6:45am	Chicago Express	11:05am
Erie & Asht. Ex	7:15am	Cl. & Wh'g Ex.	2:55pm
Chicago Express	9 25am	Chicago Mail	5:55pm
Cl. & Wh'g Ex.	1:55pm	Erie & Asht. Ex.	5:55pm
Pacific Express	2:20pm	Cl. & St. L. Ex.	7:35pm
Wellsville Ex.	4:25pm	Cl. & Wh'g Ex.	7:35pm
Erie & War. Ex.	4:25pm	Fast Line	11:55pm
DEPART FROM ALLEGH'Y.		ARRIVE IN ALLEGHENY	
Beaver Falls Ac.	6:35am	Leetsdale Accom	7:10am
Leetsdale Accom	9:45am	Leetsdale Accom	7:50am
Leetsdale Accom	11:30am	Beaver Falls Ac.	9:00am
Leetsdale Accom	12:00pm	Leetsdale Accom	9:15am
Sharps. & Asht. Ac	1:55pm	Leetsdale Accom	10:15am
Leetsdale Accom	5:30pm	Sharps. & Asht. Ac	11:55am
Leetsdale Accom	6:35pm	Leetsdale Accom	1:35pm
Leetsdale Accom	6:35pm	Leetsdale Accom	5:45pm
Leetsdale Accom	10:35pm	Leetsdale Accom	7:35pm
Fair Oaks Sunday church	12:45pm	Fair Oaks Sunday church	9:35am

Pacific Express leaves daily. Chicago Express arrives daily.
Fast Line leaves daily, Mondays excepted. Pacific Express arrives daily, Mondays excepted.
All other trains will leave and arrive daily, Sunday excepted.
F. R. MYERS, General Passenger and Ticket Agent.
J. N. McCULLOUGH, General Manager.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.—On and after 6 A. M. MONDAY, February 23, 1874, trains will leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, as follows, (Pittsburgh time):

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Hulton Acc.	6:40am	Hulton Acc.	6:50am
Buffalo Ex.	7:00am	Soda Works Acc	8:00am
Kittanning Acc.	11:40am	Hulton Acc.	9:10am
Brady's Bend Acc.	3:25pm	Brady's Bend Acc	10:10am
Titusville Ex.	2:00pm	Kittanning Acc	5:45pm
Hulton Acc.	4:35pm	Titusville Ex.	5:45pm
Soda Works Acc	6:00pm	Hulton Acc.	7:50pm
Hulton Acc.	10:50pm	Buffalo Ex.	7:50pm

Buffalo Express Daily, except Sundays to Oil City only. All other trains daily except Sunday.
Buffalo Express makes close connections, at Red Bank Junction with trains on Eastern extension for Reynoldsville and intermediate stations.
Church train leaves Soda Works at 8:35am, arrives at Pittsburgh at 10:10am, returning leaves Pittsburgh at 12:30pm, arriving at Soda Works at 2:25pm, stopping at all stations.
Orders can be left with Excelsior Baggage Company 78 Fifth avenue, for Baggage to be checked from Hotels or residences to destination.
Ticket offices, No. 78 Fifth avenue and Union Depot.
J. J. LAWRENCE, Gen. Sup't.
THOS. M. KING, Assist. Sup't.
JAMES N. SHAY, Ticket Agent.

PITTSBURGH, VIRGINIA & CHARLESTON RAILWAY. TIME TABLE. On and after MONDAY, March 9th, 1874, and until further notice, trains will leave and arrive at Depot, 928 Carson street, South Pittsburgh, as follows, Pittsburgh Time:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Homestead acc. from Ormsby	6:00am	Homestead acc.	6:55am
Through Mail	6:45am	Pittsburgh acc.	9:00am
Monongahela acc	11:00am	Pittsburgh Ex.	12:30pm
Monongahela Ex	4:00pm	Pittsburgh acc.	5:30pm
Monongahela acc	6:15pm	Through Mail	6:00pm

CHURCH TRAIN leaves Monongahela City every Sunday at 8:00 a. m., stopping at all points for passengers, and reaching Pittsburgh at 10:00 a. m. Returning, leaves Pittsburgh at 1:00 p. m., arriving at Monongahela City at 4:05 p. m.
Packets to and from Brownsville and upper river points, connect with Trains at Monongahela City. Morning Passengers from Brownsville reach Pittsburgh 3 hours quicker than by Packet, and may remain until 6:15 P. M. Returning, arrive at Monongahela City to connect with afternoon boat from Pittsburgh.
Through Tickets, via this Route, same as by boat. Baggage Checked Through.
Baggage called for or delivered at Depots, Hotels or Residences by Johnson's Express. Leave orders at Passenger Depot, 928 Carson street. (South Side), or General Office, 61 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh.
JOHN M. EYERS, Chief Engineer and Superintendent.
WM. J. ROSE, General Passenger Agent.

PITTSBURGH AND CONNELLSVILLE RAILWAY— Pittsburgh, Washington and Baltimore "Short Line." Alteration of Time. On and after Sunday, Feb. 15, 1874, Trains on this road will depart and arrive from Depot, corner of Grant and Water streets, as follows, Pittsburgh time:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Local Mail	6:30am	McKeesport acc.	6:45am
Through Mail	8:00am	McKeesport acc.	7:45am
Mixed Way	8:30am	W. Newton acc.	8:45am
McKeesport acc.	11:15am	Through Express	9:00am
Connellsville acc.	3:35pm	Connellsville acc.	10:05am
McKeesport acc.	4:35pm	McKeesport acc.	12:10pm
W. Newton acc.	5:00pm	McKeesport acc.	3:30pm
McKeesport acc.	6:00pm	Uniontown acc.	6:00pm
Through Express	9:00pm	McKeesport acc.	7:40pm
McKeesport acc.	11:00pm	Through Mail	8:45pm
W. Newton Ch T	12:45pm	W. Newton C T.	10:05am

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SAML C. HOUGH, General Passenger Agent.
E. K. HYNDMAN, General Superintendent.

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI AND ST. LOUIS RAILWAY. Pan-Handle Route. On and after Nov. 9, 1873, trains leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh time, as follows:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Fast Line	2:28am	McDonald Ac.	7:10am
Columbus Mail	7:15am	Wash. Accom.	7:55am
Wash. Accom.	9:40am	Steubenville Ac.	9:00am
Pacific Express	9:55am	Cincinnati Ex.	12:00pm
McDonald Ac.	12:05pm	McDonald Ac.	4:15pm
Southern Ex.	1:40pm	Columbus Mail	6:15pm
Steubenville Ac.	3:20pm	Fast Line	6:35pm
Wash. Accom.	5:01pm	Southern Ex.	7:35pm
McDonald Ac.	6:12pm	Wash. Accom.	8:00pm
Sunday Church train	12:45pm	Sunday Church train	10:00am

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Fast Line and Cincinnati Express arrive daily.
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HOME NEWS.

Killed by His Own Train.

Coroner McCallin held an inquest yesterday afternoon on the body of Thomas McNall, a freight conductor on the Pennsylvania Railroad, who was fatally injured yesterday morning at the brewery switch on Liberty street. The deceased had been throwing the brake-wheel, and stepping backwards, he fell off, several of the cars passing over his legs, crushing them so badly that he died about noon. The occurrence having been proven to have been merely accidental, the jury rendered a verdict in accordance. Deceased was twenty-three years of age, and single.

Exorbitant County Assessments.

In the Court of Common Pleas, yesterday, Mr. A. M. Watson, counsel for the heirs of Edward Hewitt and James Watson, filed appeals from the assessments of the County Commissioners. The appellants live in the Tenth ward of Allegheny City, and allege that their lands have been assessed at exorbitantly high rates, so much so that the rental would not pay the taxes. The real estate consists of farm and garden lands, with rough pasture hillsides, and, it is claimed, cannot be improved without heavy expense. The petitioners ask the Court to reduce the assessment in accordance with the provisions of the act of Assembly. The appeals were allowed, and the Court directed that written notices be served on the Commissioners.

Bible History and Chronology.

The Normal Class of Sunday School Workers held their seventh session last evening in the Liberty street M. E. church. Introductory prayer was offered by Rev. James Imbrie, of the United Presbyterian church, New Florence, Pa., followed by the announcement and consideration of the subject—"Outlines of Bible History and Chronology." Rev. R. T. Miller elucidated this topic by dividing Bible History into twelve sections, beginning with the Creation and ending with the close of the Apostolic period, making prominent the events and personages associated with each period, not forgetting the links in the chain of Bible History. Appropriate singing and music interspersed the services, Mrs. Sidney Omohundro presiding at the organ. The concluding devotional exercises were conducted by Mr. Samuel W. Hay, of the Liberty Street Church, followed by congratulatory remarks by the chairman, Wm J. Jackson, Esq., approbative of the "Modern system of Sunday School instruction." The "new departure" in the art of Sabbath school teaching is attracting the attention of Sunday school men and women East and West, and will be effectual in teacher training, and the firm consolidation of the work for a steady progressive movement.

"THE MAN WE WANT."

Allen's Presence Desired in Louisville.

Developments are still being made regarding X. S. Allen, the man who attempted to swindle the banks in this city on Saturday last and, who has been committed to jail in default of five thousand dollars bail, for trial at court. Yesterday Mr. Frank E. Moore, cashier of the International Bank, received a dispatch from R. S. Veach, cashier of the Farmers' and Drovers' Bank of Louisville, Kentucky, requesting that a full description of Allen be sent to him, as it is thought he is the man wanted in Louisville for attempting the same game there that got him into trouble here.

ASSESSMENT APPEALS.

Cases from the First Ward Disposed of.

The Board of Revision met yesterday morning and heard the following appeals from the First ward, which were finally disposed of: W. B. Holmes, three-story brick warehouse, from $6,000 to $4,000. Jas. Foley, two-story house, frame $800 to $600. Martin Joyce, two story house, from $2,000 to $1,500. John Harper, three-story brick house, from $3,000 to $2,000. Robert Lee, three-story shop, from $5,000 to $4,000. Peter Foley, two-story brick house, from $800 to $500. Slack & Sholes' planing mill, from $7,000 to $5,500. Archibald Murphy, two story brick house, from $1,000 to $500. W. J. Anderson, two boilers, engine and machinery, $8,000 to $5,000; two-story shops from $1,000 to $100. Mrs. Amanda Coffin, three-story brick house, from $3,000 to $2,500. On motion, Second avenue, between Wood and Market street, was reduced from $250 to $200 per front foot. W. B. Scaife & Son, boiler, engine and machinery from $3,000 to $1,500; three-story brick house from $5,000 to $4,000; three story brick house from $2,800 to $2,000. John Barford, two story frame house, from $1,500 to $800. James Caldwell, three two-story brick houses, from $6,000 to $3,000, two two-story frame houses, from $1,500 to $1,000; three-story brick, from $4,000 to $3,000. Mary Caldwell, three-story brick house, from $5,000 to $3,000. The Board adjourned to meet on Thursday.

BILL IN EQUITY.

Injunction Restraining the Dollar Savings Bank from Paying out Money.

In the District Court yesterday afternoon, a bill in equity was filed on behalf of Stephen Clansy and Bridget, his wife, against the Dollar Savings Bank and John Heath and D. R. Speer, partners as Heath & Speer. The document sets forth that on the 17th of February last, Bridget Clansy bought from Heath & Speer a tract of land for $3,000. She paid them $100 in cash and also gave a certificate of deposit in the Dollar Savings Bank for $900, payable in nine weeks from the 18th of February. In consideration of the above, the defendants agreed to make out for plaintiff a deed for the property purchased by her. The certificate of deposit was accepted, and the bank agreed to pay the money to Heath & Spear on the 22d of April (to-day.) Subsequent to the agreement the husband of plaintiff became insane, and is now confined in Dixmont hospital. She also alleges that the defendants have violated the agreement in that they have not made out the deed promised, and have refused so to do. An injunction was asked, restraining the Dollar Savings Bank from paying the money on the certificate of deposit, and praying that the amount be continued to the credit of the plaintiff in whose name it had been originally deposited. The prayer of the petitioner was granted and an injunction issued.

MARTIN V. B. HAZEN.

A Fayette County Candidate for Sheriff in Limbo.

Martin V. B. Hazen, formerly a member of the police force of this city and until recently constable of Connellsville borough, was arrested here yesterday by Officer Ike Hutchinson, of Uniontown. It seems that Hazen has been prosecuting a number of the liquor dealers of Connellsville and Uniontown for selling liquor with out license, the informations having been made before Justice McCormick. On Monday, by way of retaliation, Robert Artest, of Uniontown, appeared before Justice Holmes of that place, and made informations charging Hazen with levying blackmail on liquor dealers, keeping a gambling house, selling liquor without license and with extortion. Seven distinct informations were made, and the warrants issued by Justice Holmes, were placed in the hands of constable Hutchinson for execution. He arrived here on Monday night, but did not arrest Hazen until between nine and ten o'clock yesterday morning. The prisoner it is said tried to escape several times while the officer was accompanying him to various places in search of bail, and finally had to be placed in the police station until afternoon, when he was taken to Uniontown on the 2:30 train. Hazen has cards in the Uniontown papers announcing himself as the Workingmen's candidate for Sheriff of Fayette county. His chances for being chosen by the people to fill that position were not by any means brilliant, and whether his ambition is satisfied by the fact that 'Squire Holmes has elected him to occupy a small but neat wrought iron office in the jail is more than we can state.

DAMAGES WANTED.

A Ten Thousand Dollar Breach of Promise Case—Suit Entered in the District Court

A declaration in a breach of promise case was filed yesterday in the District Court by John Barton and Thos. M. Marshall, Esq., on behalf of Father McAfee, in right of his daughter, against Wm. Scott. The daughter is a widow five and forty years of age, and the defendant is a widower ten years her senior, both being members of St. James Episcopal Church. The document sets forth that on Jan. 26, 1873, the defendant promised to marry Mrs. McAfee, but that he has since forgotten his plighted word and evinces no inclination to fulfill the contract entered into by him. Damages are claimed in the sum of ten thousand dollars. The case will probably come up for trial next month, when it is said there will be some interesting developments. It is averred that the parties were engaged three several times, and that the defendant violated the agreement in every instance. The first engagement was made about three years ago, the second about two years ago, and the third last January. On the last fixed occasion the ceremony was to have been conducted by the Rector of St. James Episcopal church, and on the wedding day the expectant bride was prepared and in waiting at the appointed hour but inquiry developed the fact that the bridegroom was not present, neither had he come. Whereupon the disappointed lady began to look upon the matter as it really was, and after a protracted consultation with her friends, she resolved to assume the role of plaintiff to a civil action for breach of promise. Both the parties are at present childless. The plaintiff lost a child by the arsenal explosion some years ago and a daughter of the defendant died about a year ago.

CUTTING LIFE SHORT.

A Young Merchant Commits Suicide—Troubles About Money Matters Lead to the Rash Act

Coroner McCallin was notified yesterday morning to hold an inquest on the body of Erwin H. Heyden, who had committed suicide at his boarding house, No. 87 Ohio street, Allegheny. Mr. Heyden had recently commenced business with a young man named McCormack on Ohio street, a few doors from where he boarded. Heyden had been troubled, it seems, for some time past, in regard to some $10,000 in money coming to him from Germany. This preyed upon his mind, and for the past two weeks he had talked of dying. On Monday he paid the first instalment on a ten thousand dollar life insurance policy in the Germania, of New York. He had gone to several physicians on the same day and complained of being sick. They gave him prescriptions, which he got filled. He got two prescriptions of morphine powders. On Monday night he went to bed about eleven o'clock. He then seemed in a peculiar frame of mind. About three o'clock, Mr. Helm, his room mate, was awakened by a gurgling noise, and upon lighting the gas, he discovered the condition of the unfortunate young man, who seemed to be dying. Physicians were summoned, but too late, he died from the effects of some narcotic poison. Two phials of laudanum, one of them partly emptied, were found in his room. Also, the two boxes of morphine powders, from which six had been taken out of one box, the other being apparently untouched. His death was the result of an overdose of laudanum, and the jury rendered a verdict in accordance. The deceased was a German by birth, and is supposed to have a brother and sister residing in Germany. He was unmarried, and twenty-five years of age.

LAID TO REST.

The Obsequies Over the Remains of the Late Mayor Callow—An Impressive Demonstration—The Services at the House—The Funeral Cortege—Suspension of Business in the City—A Hearty Tribute of Respect to the Memory of the Deceased.

Yesterday afternoon in accordance with the arrangements made, the funeral of the late Mayor Callow took place from the family residence, and was the occasion for a most impressive demonstration, which in all respects has certainly never had a precedent in Allegheny; the people seemed to be especially interested in paying the last tribute of respect to the memory of their late Chief Magistrate.

GATHERING FOR THE FUNERAL.

From the early indications it was apparent that the demonstration was to be of a much larger character than had even been anticipated, and the Committee of Councils having the matter in charge, were busily engaged all the morning arranging the details. Meanwhile, evidences of the general sorrow were exhibited in the lowering of all the flags in the city to half mast, the tolling of some of the bells, and the firing of minute guns, by Knapp's battery. At one o'clock the different delegations of soldiers and citizens, designing to take a place in the cortege, began to gather and were assigned places by the Committee. At half past one o'clock, the members of Council and city officials assembled at City Hall, and being marshalled under the leadership of Hon. Alfred Slack, marched from the hall to the residence, No. 51 Montgomery avenue. By this time there was a pretty general suspension of business in the principal portions of the city, and along the designated route of the procession,—the people seeming to be in accord with the wishes of the Mayor elect.

SERVICES AT THE HOUSE.

The services at the house commenced promptly at the hour of two, which had been the time designated. The place was densely packed at the time, so that hundreds who sought entrance failed in their efforts. The casket was placed in the parlor, where it was partially covered with flowers, and where free access was given to all who called previous to the funeral services. After that the crowd prevented others who wished, from entering.

THE RELIGIOUS EXERCISES

were conducted by the Rev. W. H. McMillen, pastor of the Second U. P. church, Allegheny, who read the Ninetieth Psalm, and then commented upon the brevity of life and the suddenness of death. Death draws an unseen bow; the strokes of his arrows are always a surprise. He said the subject was most strikingly illustrated in the case of the deceased, who was stricken in the midst of a vigorous and useful life. The reverend gentleman then passed into a brief review of the life and character of the deceased, particularly with reference to his career in the army. He spoke of his bravery and self sacrifice, attested by all his comrades, and by the honorable scars he bore to his grave, and eulogized his patriotism and devotion to his country as worthy of the highest emulation. Points of his character were further dwelt upon, such as his unselfishness, his warm-heartedness, his ready sympathies,—traits which commended him to the warmest love of many friends.

In conclusion the speaker offered consoling words to the bereaved family and friends of the deceased, and pointed them to One whose sympathies were ever ready for those who mourned.

A MEMORIAL ADDRESS.

The Rev. Alexander Clark, an old personal friend of the deceased, next delivered the following memorial address:

Alexander Callow was my personal and beloved friend. I made his acquaintance amid the rattling machinery of a press room on Fifth avenue, where, in 1858, he printed a children's paper, now grown into a magazine. I shall never forget his words of encouragement, given just when so much needed, and given in such a tender way. They were heart-words, more precious than gold. He had just come from the Harper publishing house in New York, back to his native city, schooled and practiced in his special department of "the art preservative." His taste was exquisite, his touch skillful; and he had rare genius combined with industry, ambition and perseverance. A poor boy, he was taught the value of time, the beauty and dignity of labor; he came through the severe processes by which manly men are developed. Toil to him was honorable. In this he was a representative Pittsburgher, for in no city in the world is manual labor so blended with tact, culture and enterprise, as here. The workingman is the real nobleman. Voluntary service, justly rewarded and honored, is the Gospel method of civilizing nations and blessing communities.

No wonder at all, when, in April, 1861, perhaps of which this is about the anniversary day, slavery struck at the flag of our country, and threatened to destroy the Republic of workingmen, and to substitute a government of caste and chattelhood, that Alexander Callow should be among the first, even from these twin cities of loyal fame, to offer his services in behalf of freedom and equality, of union and of right. He was accustomed to struggle, to sweat and endure, and he had the muscle to move forward wherever his own brave spirit led the way. A man is the more a soldier who enters the field from the shop, the mill, the mine, the farm, or any other place of busy work than he who is shoved out by force of titled ancestry, or called to arms by a golden bugle. Callow, the foremost pressman in the city, was willing to be the humblest private of the ranks, only so he could march away to conflict when his country wanted men. He was a man. He was a soldier because he was a man. He was a hero in that he accepted the hardest service, and suffered patiently in his place. He did not enter the army for office or for honor, but for duty. He was sorely wounded of the enemy, but unswerving and faithful at his post.

Returning to his home to resume his chosen vocation after his warfare was ended, he was once more the same quiet, unostentatious man among his fellows, not ashamed of ink and noise in the dark basement of a newspaper office. And here office and honor came seeking him. Such men do not need agents or organs to pioneer them into position. They are tided up by irresistible forces. The people of his own Allegheny remembered the workingman, who remembered his country, and who did not forget his work. Heart-power made him the Chief Magistrate of the city. He had large affections. That strength was his weakness. He loved everybody, even forgetting to love himself. He helped everybody, even forgetting to help himself. He protected everybody, even forgetting to protect himself. He lies here low and still to-day, too soon departed. Alexander Callow should be yet alive this hour, and in the full vigor of manhood. An enemy hath done this. He was wounded years ago and far away, and his wound would never heal. He felt his pain and would fain have hidden his hurt from the people's gaze. But what man might not change, or recover, God in mercy alleviates. The great heart which was so unselfish and the ready right hand which was so apt and strong, shall be covered over by the green grass of May, and early flowers shall wave as sweetly over his grave as if there never had been sorrow or anguish or weariness. And what God shall cover over so surely and so soon, let us also drop out of memory—our brother's care and trouble and faults; and let us remember what was lovely, what was brotherly, what was noble, pure and good. Our Father over us all is very merciful, and His grace abounds forever. We shall hope to see our prone friend risen again, a man all immortal, with all tears wiped away, with every wound recovered, with every sorrow smiled forever away in the vision of Jesus' face. Although he made no open profession of religion, may we not believe that in the sacred seclusion of his final days he had some special ministry stronger and more efficient than ours? Just because human words and human agencies are so feeble, and just because we are so often surrounded by shadows, let us rather lift our eyes to the hills whence true help cometh; and let us be comforted in the hope [illegible] the Saviour, in His own way, has done what we so fondly wished and prayed to see, but may not have seen for lack of faith.

"When the dangerous rocks are past,
When the threatening tempests cease;
Oh how sweet to rest at last
In the silent port of peace!
Though that port may be unknown,
Though no chart its name may bear,
Brightly beams its light on one,
Blest to find his refuge there!
Life, thou art the storm—the rock;
Death ! the friendly port thou art;
Haven from the tempest's shock,
Welcoming the wanderer's heart."

This great city honors her dead. Surviving comrades in arms are stationed as loving sentinels, and waiting attendants about these doors. The mysteries which we may not fathom are distinct Providences just beyond our sight. In answer to believing faith, One shall enter this home and be all and in all to the broken hearted and helpless. God is not dead. Heaven's Ruler and Executive ever liveth. No banners are ever at half-mast in this city of redeemed souls, nor do dirges ever resound across the fair bowers of the blest, as across these beautiful parks to-day. That is the victory-land where crowns are given and peace is eternal. And there shall every heart rejoice forevermore.

May Heaven smile graciously upon the aged mother now on her way hither from the distant west, the widow, and the children of the departed, bowed in lamentation, and restore unto them Divinely husband, father, comforter, son, and all the joys of salvation, and open before them the way that shines more and more, and bestow upon them the benediction of an endless love.

Rev. Mr. Clark then concluded the services by offering up prayer, which ended the religious exercises at the house.

By this time the

THRONG OF SPECTATORS

outside had increased to very large numbers. The sidewalks in the neighborhood of the house were densely crowded on both sides of the street; many gathered in the Park in front of the house, and in every available space where a view of the place could be had the crowds were gathered. The crowds were so great in fact, in the immediate vicinity of the house, that at the first it was thought there would be some trouble in getting

THE FUNERAL PROCESSION

under way without confusion, but these forebodings were not realized, as the people fell back, and the line was formed under the direction of the committee in the following order:

First came the police of the two cities, the visitors from Pittsburgh taking the head of the column. Chiefs Irwin and Clark headed the men.

Next in line was the Great Western Band—a full delegation—playing the Dead March as the procession moved.

The Duquesne Greys followed the band, in full uniform. The turnout was very large.

Behind these came the Washington Infantry.

Following were the Heath Zouaves—some in uniform, but the majority in citizen's dress.

Knapp's Battery took the next place in line. The members of the company were out in force and in full uniform.

Officers of the Eighteenth Division, in uniform, in carriages.

Pall bearers in carriages.

Members of James L. Graham Lodge of Odd Fellows, walking, and in citizens dress, but with badges.

Then came Mayor elect Neillie, Treasurer MacFerron, and other prominent citizens of both cities in carriages.

The Knights of Pythias in full uniform were represented in the next delegation. Part of these were home Knights, and others from Baltimore. These were accompanied by the Baltimore Brass Band.

There were the Allegheny Turnverein in citizens dress.

The American Protestant Association followed. This was a large delegation and the members wore full regalias.

Third ward cadets—a delegation of school boys from the Third ward Allegheny schools, under Prof. Caldwell and headed by a martial band.

The Allegheny Fire Department led by chief Crow followed. There were 48 men out in full uniform.

The A. P. Callow Band furnished the dirges for this section of the line.

Following next were the members of the 102 Regiment. They were in citizens dress but wore badges, and carried a flag enveloped in crape.

Then came the delegations of the G. A. R. Post 88, headed the line with visiting delegations from Posts 3, 117 and 151.

Following these came the hearse, upon each side of which marched the escort from the G. A. R.

Immediately in the rear of the hearse were the relatives and more immediate friends of the deceased in carriages.

The Council delegations came next. Pittsburgh Councils headed this section, and Allegheny followed, all in carriages, with officials of both cities also in carriages. The turnout was very large.

The rear of the column was brought up by a very long line of carriages containing citizens of both cities.

ALONG THE ROUTE.

The route of procession was the same as that previously published. The procession was a very long one—requiring an hour to pass in full review. All along the route in Allegheny the stores and places of building were closed and bells tolled as the cortege passed. Large crowds of ladies, gentlemen, and children lined the thoroughfares on both sides, from the house to the cemetery. All the delegations passed over the route save the Knights of Pythias, who turned from the ranks, at Twentieth street in Pittsburgh, after going over about two-thirds of the route.

AT THE CEMETERY.

When the cortege arrived at the Cemetery the contemplated services were dispensed with owing to the fact that the mother and sister of the deceased, who had been telegraphed for, did not arrive in the city, and it was thought best by the other friends to have the body deposited in the cemetery vault to await the coming of the absent ones, who are expected this morning. In accordance with this arrangement the casket was deposited in the cemetery vault without formal services, and the cortege returned to the city.

The obsequies throughout were of a solemn and impressive character, and were a worthy tribute to the memory of the deceased, both as a chief magistrate and as a man.

THE TEMPERANCE STRUGGLE.

Meeting of W. C. T. U. Yesterday—The Crusade—Mrs. Harper—The Harrisburg Delegation.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union held a regular meeting in Rev. Dr. Milligan's, Reformed Presbyterian Church, yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Collins, the President, in the chair. After the reading of a portion of the Scripture by Mrs. Collins, Rev. Mr. Gormley led in prayer. A portion of the 23d Psalm was sung.

The minutes of the last meeting were then read and approved.

The resolution in regard to sending a delegation to Harrisburg was concurred in. Mrs. Collins and Mrs. S. B. Robinson will head the delegation, which will consist of about fourteen ladies.

Mrs. Harper, the colored lady, then spoke briefly. After some preliminary remarks, she said the strength of this movement had not yet been shown. No successful general would bring his forces to the front at the first commencement of the battle and expose his strength at once to the enemy. So it is with this cause, in which only the van guards have been skirmishing. It will arise in its might and battle against the trade in alcoholic stimulants. The drunkard's cry goes up to heaven, and appeals for workers; the cry of the widow and the orphan made so by the curse is not in vain. The battle will soon rage in all its might and fury. Work in the vineyard, saith the Lord. Go gather in the bruised grain. It is that work the women of to day are doing; raising the fallen; supporting the weak, and urging all to a better life here. Making public opinion is one of the great fruits of this labor of love.

It is necessary to know the amount of resistence required to put down intemperence. Work in Christ's name and appeal to every drunkard's heart through Him. She wanted them not to be discouraged, but to labor on and visit every saloon in the city. Rev. Dr. Pershing and Mrs. Van Horn each made short addresses. Dr. Pershing said he endorsed the movement and believed great good would result from it. It was then announced that on to-morrow evening a meeting would be held in Rev. W. J. Reid's church on Seventh avenue near Smithfield street, and on Friday evening in Rev. Dr. Noble's church on Sixth avenue. The meeting after singing a Psalm then adjourned.

IN THE ALLIANCE ROOMS

the ladies met yesterday morning. The general topic of conversation was the intended ladies' delegation to visit Harrisburg, for the purpose of preventing any change in the excise laws, as regards allowing brewers and distillers to sell their beverages direct from the factory in counties where local option prevails. Allegheny City also sends a delegation to Harrisburg, and the two will act in conjunction with each other. It is likely that the Legislature will be visited to day, as the ladies left on the "Fast Line," at 7:50 last evening, a special Pullman car being provided for their accommodation.

VISITING SALOONS

was again resumed yesterday morning at half past ten o'clock, with a varying success, as regards to gaining admittance. The first place called on was Omerton & Heffold's, 21 Diamond. The women were not admitted and a curbstone meeting was held. The wholesale house, corner of Market alley was next called upon, but no ladies were admitted, and another street meeting was held. John Wilhelm's place, 17 Diamond was next called on, with the same result. They were admitted in Reagan's "Your House," No 36 Diamond, where the proprietor offered to sell out for $9,000. John Quin's "Waverly House," was also visited, and this ended the crusade for the day. It will be resumed this morning.

SCATTERING TEMPERANCE NOTES.

To-morrow evening a temperance meeting will be held in the Bellefield Church, Fourteenth ward, at which Rev. J. Vannote and Rev. J. D. Herr will speak.

A very successful meeting was held last evening in the Christian Chapel, Hazlewood, at which some stirring addresses were made. Music considerably enlivened the occasion.

It is expected that Mother Stewart, of Springfield, Ohio, will be here on Friday evening and speak in Rev. Dr. Noble's church.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Deeds Filed for Record in the Recorder's Office.

The following deeds have been filed for record since our last report: James A. Parker to David Mitchell, February 28, 1874, lot in Nineteenth ward, Pittsburgh. Price $1,000....Frank Beckert, et ux. to Jas. Hamilton, April 20, 1874, lot 21 in Fred. Beckert's plan, Millvale borough, 22x100 feet. Price $262.50.... B. M. Hoffman and wife to John M. Cannon, February 25, 1874, lot of ground in Noblestown containing 6 4 perches, with half of a two story frame house. Price $900....Alexander T. Shields et ux to Thomas Warren, June 1, 1847, part of a tract containing six acres, excepting roadway, in Elizabeth township. Price $300....John Robinson and And. Howel, executor of George Shields, deceased, to Thos. Warren, December 9, 1818, one-fifth of 230 acres in Elizabeth tp. Price $589 37.... William Woosilayer et ux. to Samuel McElroy, Jr., April 10, 1874; lot 47, in Woolslayer's plan, Sixteenth ward, Pittsburgh. Price $4,000.... Samuel McElroy, Jr., et ux. to Henry Stork, April 10, 1874; part of lot 48, in same plan as above. Price $2,250....Peter Mininger and Katrina Sird, April 17, 1874; lot on Josephine street, Twenty-sixth ward, Pittsburgh. Price $1....Fayette Brown et ux. and Margaret Harvey to Ernest Eggers, December 24, 1873; lot in Eighth ward, Allegheny. Price $400.... George Gerst to John H. Meyer, May 6, 1873; lot on Washington and Market streets, Sixth ward, Allegheny, 22x92. Price $900....Ann Shevlin to Emil Entzman, April 13, 1874; lots 16, 17 and 18, in John Aldressor's plan of Winder's lots, Twenty-third ward, Pittsburgh. Price $575....John Anderson, executor to Ann Shevlin, Dec. 23, 1873; same as above. Price $565. ....John H. Myers et ux. to Marx Bitt; April 1, 1874, 2 in Beckert's plan, Baldwin township. Price $300....George H. Meyers et ux. to Adam Hess, same date and lot 3 in same plan as above. Price $600....John Cannon to B. H. Hoffman, February 10, 1874, lot in Noblestown, 58 perches. Price $1,200....Thomas Pickup et ux. to Samuel S. Roberts, April 11, 1874, lot in Elizabeth township. Price $300.... Simpson Horner and George W. Roberts to Thomas Pickup, April 30, 1873, lot same as above. Price $250....Nathaniel Miller to R. W. Row, Oct. 17, 1873, lot in East Deer township. Price $250.... Thomas R. Stillet ux. to John James, April 30, 1873, lot 24x110 feet in Shaler township. Price $525....Samuel McPeak to John S. Cook, Dec. 31, 1873, lot 28 in Wilcox's plan, Chartiers borough. Price $585......Love & Cramer, to Christ Lutz, March 2, 1874, lot of ground in Coulterville containing 1½ acres. Price $1,500.... H. B. Herron trustee to Hy. Kaiser and Sarah Kaiser, April 7, 1874, partition of estate in East Deer township, containing 26 acres and 130 perches, and George Kaiser et ux. to Anna Hutchinson, April 18, 1874, 14 acres and 154 perches of above tract. Price $5,985....H. B. Herron, trustee to George Kaiser, April 7, 1874, partition of estate in East Deer township, 14 acres, 54 perches......James McLain, executor to Friend W. Jenkins, Dec. 8, 1874, lot on Arch street, Twentieth ward, Allegheny. Price $14,000....Release of annuity lien of John Geyer to James McLain on lot as above....William Harbaugh et ux. to William Ague, January 16, 1871, lot in borough of Sewickly 71 x 125 feet. Price $280.

POLICEMEN DISCHARGED.

An Officer Who Likes to Kiss Ladies and Another Who Levies Blackmail.

Another trio of policemen were discharged from the city force yesterday. George Ward for levying blackmail had his official head decapitated and his place filled by another man. Officer Scott, who was on duty in West Pittsburgh, was given his walking papers for insulting a lady whose husband was in the station house. Scott it is said went to the lady's house and condoled with her upon the misfortune of having a husband in the lock-up. At the conclusion of his consolatory remarks he placed his arm around the lady's waist and asked her for a kiss. A full hearing was had before the acting Mayor in this case, testimony being taken on both sides, and His Honor, after remarking that he was not aware that it was a part of an officer's duty to insult ladies whose husbands had by intoxication been so unfortunate as to get into the police station, ordered that Scott's name be stricken from the list of officers. The other discharged officer is Wm. J. Ross. He had not been in any way derelict in duty, but it was discovered that he is not a citizen of the United States and therefore ineligible to any position.

Letters Held for Postage, April 21.

Miss Emma Elss, Clarion, Pa., 15c; Harry R. Franklin, Pittsburgh, Pa., 1c; Kate Kris-Iniss, Pomroy, O., 3c; Mrs. Mary Stuart, Philadelphia, Pa., 3c.

E. C. NEGLEY, P. M.

The "Franklin," Allegheny, pays interest on time deposits.

THE COURTS.

YESTERDAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

U. S. District Court.

[*Before Judge McCandless.*]

E. P. Jones, trustee for the Smithfield Savings bank creditor, vs. A. Inskeep & Co., debtors, Pittsburgh. Petition in bankruptcy filed, and usual order made. Friend for petitioners.

Owens & Shannon bankrupts, Allegheny county. Injunction granted against certain creditors.

John George, Jr., et al. creditors, vs. George B. Hays, debtor, Westmoreland county. Motion for injunction argued and decision reserved. Watson for. Miller, *contra.*

Fourth National bank, et al. creditors, vs. C. L. Graff, debtor, in bankruptcy, Pittsburgh. Restraining order granted against certain execution creditors. Friend for petitioners.

Stephens & Eicher, bankrupts, Fayette county. Order made for the sale of certain real estate, free and discharged of liens, and directing assignee to pay unpaid purchase money. Howell & Shoyer for petitioners.

Mark Campbell, bankrupt, Pittsburgh. Order made for examination of bankrupt, and other witnesses before Register Harper. Barton for petitioner.

Amos Tenney, creditor vs. Brady's Bend Iron Co., debtor, in bankruptcy, Armstrong county. Rule granted on creditor and debtor to show cause why Wm. Miller & Co., creditors, shall not intervene. Watson for rule.

Eugene Galland & Bro., bankrupts, Luzerne county. Petition to have certain claims expunged. Referred to Register Willard, of Scranton, for examination and report.

E. P. Jones, trustee, &c., creditor, vs. Hilands & King, debtors, in bankruptcy, Allegheny city. Petition filed and the usual order made. Friend for creditor.

Jenkins, Nish & Co., bankrupts, Allegheny county. Petition for discharge referred back to Register Harper for examination and report. Lazear for bankrupts.

James B. Hill, bankrupt, Clarion county. Order made for the sale of certain personal property. Neale for assignee.

Andrews & Jones, bankrupts, Allegheny City. Rule granted on assignee to show cause why he should not pay certain rent due James Caldwell. Stoner for rule.

Wm. H. Cluley, bankrupt, Pittsburgh. Rule granted on bankrupt and assignees to show cause why certain rent due J. B. Birmingham should not be paid. Miller for rule.

Andrew Ackley vs. the steam tug Stella, in admiralty. W. G. Johnson, trustee, was allowed to intervene. Watson for interveners.

District Court.

[*Before Judges White and Kirkpatrick.*]

An amicable adjustment of the case of Marker Rush vs. ex Sheriff Fleming having been reached, the jury was withdrawn.

Owners of steamboat R. J. Lockwood vs. Eureka Insurance Co. Action to recover on a policy of insurance for $2,500 on the "Lockwood," which was sunk in the Mississippi river at St. Louis, in February, 1872. The case is on trial before Judge Kirkpatrick.

James White vs. Jake Hill. The case was tried before Judge White, the jury returning a verdict for plaintiff for $168.

The case of Hahn vs. Dierstein was next taken up before Judge White. Action to recover for the value of a horse sold. The case is on trial.

Trial List for To-day.

14. Umer vs. Snively.
48. Pittsburgh Petroleum Co., for use, vs. Standard Oil Co.
45. Kalmyer & Erb vs. Frazier Bros.
46. J. A. Emery vs. Maggie C. Keifer.
48. Curtis & Co. vs. House, Harrison & Co.
49. The Travelers Insurance Co. of Hartford, Conn., vs. Robert Thorne et al.

Common Pleas Court.

[*Before Judges Sterrett and Stowe.*]

The case of McKee vs. Bidwell, previously reported, will be submitted to the jury this morning.

In the case of L. E. Johns vs. Michael O'Hara et al., also previously reported, the action being *sci fa* on certain mortgages, the jury returned a verdict in favor of plaintiff for $12,818 34.

The case of S. S. Carrier, for use, vs. Charles Goetiman, was next taken up. Action on a promissory note. On trial.

Trial List for To day.

No. 205. Faber et al vs. Bailey et al.
" 71. McMarland et al. vs. The Penna. Co.
" 99. Keitz vs Appel.
" 93. Green Tree B & L A. vs Leibler et al.
" 100. Barr vs Malatesta.
" 101. Black vs Beckers.
" 105. Dickson vs Dean.
" 109. Fuss vs Hahn.
" 110. Lyon, Shorb & Co. vs Jones et al.
" 112. Morrison for use vs Robinson.
" 116. Black vs Schad.
" 117. Emerick et al vs Schneider et al.
" 120. Haffey et al. vs Bigley.
" 123. Hampton & Dalzell vs Hunter & Gray.

Criminal Court.

[*Before Judge Collier.*]

John Bruner, indicted for larceny and embezzlement, on oath of James Eccles, entered a plea of guilty as to the second count.

In the case of Charles Lanz, indicted for larceny from the person, on oath of Louis M. Lang, a *nolle pros* was allowed on payment of the costs.

W. H. Cooper entered a plea of *nolle contendere* to an indictment for larceny on oath of E. H. Nevin. Cooper was subsequently released on his own recognizance.

In the case of Samuel Pile, charged with mayhem on oath of John Keesling, the jury rendered a verdict of guilty. It was alleged during the trial that in a melee in a bar room in Chartiers township the defendant bit off a portion of the prosecutors nose.

The case of the Commonwealth against John Malady, indicted for malicious mischief, is on trial.

Trial List for To-day.

Commonwealth vs.	
John Elkin,	James E. March et al.,
Thomas Melhan,	Patterson and Louis,
Beamer et al.,	Annie Eisal,
Henry Herstrauser,	James McGuffin,
John Colligan,	C. C. Lamm,
Jane Davidson,	Chas. Lehman,
Thos. Spence,	Henry Bain,
Alex. S. Palmer,	Oscar L. French et al.,
John Trimble,	Albert H. Sanders,
Jos. Cready,	W. B. Barton,
James Cready,	J. S. Sheppard,

DEMONSTRATIVE GAMINS.

How They Created a Turmoil on the Circus Grounds Yesterday—A Shooting Gallery Raided—Two Men Injured.

The Allegheny gamins seem to have a penchant for the circus grounds, and there they are probably, as bad a class of "Arabs" as it is well possible to get together. Yesterday, perhaps, because the police were mostly all acting as escort to the remains of the late Mayor Callow, the boys seemed to have gathered together, fully to the number of five hundred. Their audacity may be imagined from the following: They would raise up a whole sheet of canvass, when a score or more would steal into the show. In one section they became so troublesome, that the ladies had to leave their seats and go to another quarter of the tent. They procured barrels, whereon they laid boards, and peered over the top edges of the canvass, thus forming an outside amphitheatre of their own, from which much applause sprang. They were hardly satisfied with this. They tortured the side show men, but the sympathy for them will not be great, as they, too, fearfully torture the public, by their excruciating paintings and horrible "blowing." The fun for the boys was not over when the circus performance was. They then started for the shooting gallery tent. Here they assaulted the German in charge with sticks, stones and other missiles. The Teuton became exasperated, and he seized a good sized stone and hurled it promiscuously into the crowd, and the result was, an innocent bystander received it on the head, sending him to grass, bleeding profusely. No sooner was the man struck than the "ranche" was raided, and soon the shooting gallery was a thing of the past. While all this was going on, another man received a cut on the head with a brick, and then the police appeared. Thirty of the "gentle youths were gobbled" by the officers and were taken to the lock-up. They will have a hearing this morning, when it is probable a heavy fine will be levied on each, to teach them better in the future. Last evening a sufficient force of police were on the ground to preserve order.

MORE ABOUT ASSESSMENTS.

A Word from Harrison Township—A few Mathematical Conundrums.

To the Editors of the Pittsburgh Gazette:

HARRISON TOWNSHIP, April 21, 1874.

I see you are publishing communications in regard to assessments, and I would like to add my mite to get the present muddle corrected if that be possible. I am satisfied that our present Commissioners are not Solomons, but common men like ourselves. It seems to me they state one thing one day, and change their opinions the next day. I don't understand their mathematics of subtraction or multiplication. I don't see how they can make one farm worth $100 an acre and another in a better condition and locality $75 an acre. Here is a case: one piece of coal land, worthless for any thing else but the coal, and that not opened or productive, is assessed at $100, and another piece, with the land good grazing land, and a coal bank opened, with a good road to the coal, assessed at only $60 to the acre,—all in the same township. Then I know of other farms that the owners had been offered $200 per acre, and another $300 per acre, and refused; and yet they are asssesd at $80 and $100 per acre. Now these are facts which some of the farmers cannot understand. We would like the Commissioners to "rise and explain" to us mudsills, and show, if the can, where is the honesty or equity, in such assessments. If they will show us by what rule of mathematics they work, and how they make such calculations, we will be much obliged.

A FARMER.

Notice.

ALLEGHENY CITY, April 1st, 1874.

I have this day sold and transferred all my right, title and interest in the business of Self-Raising Flour and Buckwheat Flour, to S. S. Marvin & Co. Thanking my friends for their liberal patronage to me, I recommend them to my successors.

JAMES IRVIN.

We continue the business at our Cracker Factory, Nos. 91 and 93 Liberty street, and propose to place our Prepared Self-Raising Flour at the head of the list for household use and special convenience. Steamboatmen, Miners, Restaurants and Families will be surprised at the economy in using this flour. For sale by all grocers.

S. S. MARVIN & Co.

FMW.

Notice to Strangers.

There will be a large number of visitors in the city to-day, and if they will take a little advice from us, they will make it a point to call at the establishment of George R. Crawford & Co., and make an inspection of the superb stock of goods to be found there. They will find, embraced in the assortment, all sorts of watches, chains, charms, lockets, rings and jewelry of every pattern, together with a dazzling display of silverware. They will find further that the prices are *marvellously low,* and not an articles misrepresented. The goods are just what they are said to be—a fact which can be attested by thousands of patrons who deal at the store. Remember the number—76 Fifth avenue.

THE PYTHIANS.

First Day of the Supreme Lodge Session—The S. C.'s Report—The Order Reviewed—The Grand Display To-day—The Route Laid out for the Procession.

Yesterday morning the officers of the Supreme Lodge were escorted by the Knights of this city, headed by the Cathedral band, to Commercial Hall, on Wood street, where Captain J. S. Haymaker made the welcome address, which was responded to by Supreme Chancelor H. C. Berry, of Chicago, in a very becoming manner. After this the roll was called, and it being found that a quorum was present, the lodge at once went into executive session. Supreme Chancelor Berry presented his annual report. After reviewing the history of the order, he congratulated it upon its rapid growth. He then goes on to say: "Many troubles and tribulations of the year were due to the defalcation of Clarence M. Burton, the Supreme Scribe, whose preemptory resignation was accepted in June last. To make matters worse, there was trouble about printing the ritual of Pennsylvania, and restoring of the grand lodge of this State.

After getting matters straightened out it appeared that the Supreme lodge owed $9,344.45, with reliable assets amounting to $1,837.88, leaving a deficit of $8,006.67, which amount was met by a loan on bonds of the order. The financial difficulties were thus got rid of, and the Grand Lodge question was decided by the Grand Chancellor to be referred to the action of the session now in this city."

The report also refers to the changes made in the ritual for the German and Scandinavian languages and the certificate of association of the Supreme Lodge. Thirty-three grand lodges are now under the jurisdiction of the Supreme Lodge. The Nevada Grand Lodge having been instituted on the 31st of March last. The report concludes as follows:

"The future of the organization of Knights of Pythias will be shaped for prosperity or gradual decline by the action and legislation of this session. Therefore, as the watchman of the tower, you may, or probably will, ask of your sentry, what of your future day—what of the night? The duty of answering will be extremely difficult, much more so than my poor mortal gifts will accomplish to the satisfaction of many of you; nevertheless, the attempt will be made. The present—we *all* know what it *is*, as also fully aware that it could not in many ways be worse. Probably some of the causes are about assuming their proper role, while others of more magnitude and greater weight are left for your remedying, and which I trust you will securely do. With this belief, I will summarize my conclusions from the past in a very few words, and which are these: First, this body is too large; Second, it meets too often; Third, your expenses are beyond your revenues; Fourth, the sources of revenue are rapidly failing, with a more than commensurate increase of expenditure."

"It is hoped that the acts of this session may be pregnant of good and our record of meeting shed lustre on our proceedings. May the clouds that have surrounded our horizon be viewed by us, not as a precursor of a setting sun, but remind us of that eastern heaven, radiant with the hope of the coming day."

The reading of the report consumed the entire morning session, and the hour of twelve having arrived, an adjournment was had till three in the afternoon. At that hour the session was resumed. The Chancelor finished reading his report, after which the Supreme Scribe presented his, which was read, after which the convention adjourned till ten o'clock this morning, when the election of officers will take place.

For to day, great preparations have been made. Last evening, on the Cincinnati express, on the Pan Handle Road, a delegation arrived from Columbus and other cities along the line of the road to the number of one hundred and fifty, headed by a band. They were escorted to Allegheny city by the reception committee, where arrangements had been made for them. This afternoon the great display will be made. It is expected that fully eight thousand men will be in line. The uniform is a very beautiful, as well as a showy one. The different delegations, with their several bands, as well as our own home knights,—with their music, will make the procession a grand feature. We republish the route laid out as a line of march, which will be found below:

Water street to Smithfield street, thence to Third avenue, thence to Grant street, thence to Fifth avenue, thence to Market street, thence to Sixth street, across Suspension bridge, up Federal to Ohio street, thence to Marion avenue, thence to Ridge avenue, thence to Irwin avenue, thence to North avenue, thence to Cedar avenue, thence to Ohio street, thence to Chestnut street, across Mechanic street bridge to Penn, down Penn to Third street.

This evening a grand ball will be given at Lafayette Hall in honor of the Supreme Lodge, for which the hall has been elegantly decorated.

AMUSEMENTS.

PITTSBURGH OPERA HOUSE.—"Damon and Pythias" was performed last evening to a very large house, Mr. E. T. Stetson enacting the character of *Damon* and Mr. J. N. Gotthold enacting that of *Pythias.* The visiting Knights of Pythias, in honor or whom the play was performed, were well represented in the audience. Mr. Stetson gave evidence of his ability in other than sensational characters, and Mr. Gotthold's rendition was, as is invariably the case with everything that gentleman undertakes, a masterly performance. To night "Damon and Pythias" will be repeated with the same cast of characters.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—The Royal Marionettes, now attracting large audiences at the Academy of Music, are certainly marvels of mechanism. The show is so novel that it cannot fail to please both old and young. New features are introduced nightly. The costumes are tasteful and beautiful, and the transformation scenes magnificent. There will be a matinee this afternoon for those who cannot attend at night; also the usual evening performance. Seats may be secured during the day for any of the entertainments.

LIBRARY HALL.—The lovers of the drama should bear in mind the fact that on Thursday evening (to-morrow) Mrs. G. C. Howard will appear in "Uncle Tom's Cabin," in which she will personate *Topsy,* the girl that "spec I jist growed." This lady has been identified with the character of *Topsy* ever since Mrs. Stowe's novel was dramatized, and has made it a specialty. She will have efficient support in the company which accompanies her. Seats may be secured at Hale's music store, Smithfield street.

THE CIRCUS AND MENAGERIE.—Old John Robinson's Great World's Exposition, at the Robinson Lot, Federal street, Allegheny, is attracting thousands of people, old and young, at every exhibition, afternoon and evening. The performances in the arena are first class, and the menagerie, museum and aquarium are very fine indeed. It will remain but three days more, closing on Friday evening.

MARTIN'S NEW VARIETY THEATRE.—This new and popular place of amusement has already become one of the fixed institutions of the city. Large audiences are attracted every evening, and the performances are the very best of the kind. "Irish Assurance," a pleasing comedetta, by Stage Manager Love, forms a part of the programme, and new attractions are in active preparation.

FOREPAUGH'S GREAT SHOW NEXT WEEK.—Monday next will witness the advent in this vicinity of Adam Forepaugh's great aggregation, circus and menagerie, pitching its tents in East Liberty on Monday morning. It will subsequently appear, at the corner of Penn avenue and Thirty-first street, and in Birmingham and Allegheny. Col. Lawrence, the agent, is here making all the preliminary arrangements.

"THE TIPPLERS."—This evening the St. Paul's Temperance Choral Club will present, at Library Hall, for the first time, the musical drama entitled "The Tipplers." New scenery, elegant appointments and a good cast will be given. A leading feature of the entertainment will consist in a chorus of sixty voices. The price of admission has been fixed at fifty cents, and the Public Catholic Library will receive the benefit.

CITY HALL.—The Orphans' Fair continues during this week, and there will be a promenade every evening. No more pleasing place to spend an hour or two.

"JUVENILE JOYS."

How to Make the Children Happy—Give Them a Holiday to Visit the "Children's Department" of the Great Aggregation.

In preparing for the season of 1874, Mr. Adam Forepaugh made special provisions in the Museum Department of his exhibition for the young folks, for which he will receive the benisons of thousands of his juvenile friends. For this purpose, at great expense, he had manufactured in Paris a large lot of automatic toys, which have already been the delight of thousands wherever exhibited.

Among these marvels in mechanism is the *Grand Caravan,* which represents in minature the great show moving over the country. By this wonderful toy there is shown an endless train of cages, chariots and vans, with horses, elephants and camels passing along, the drivers with reins and whips in hand, upon their seats. The show reaches its place of destination, a ring is prepared, and riders leapers and gymnasts appear and perform their appropriate parts.

The *Enchanted Land* is another marvel which exhibits Elves, Fays, Undines, Gnomes, etc; also beautiful gardens, filled with flowers and foliage, wherein birds are seen emerging from opening roses, lilies and bursting buds; they fill the air with their melodious music, and in the distance is seen a fairy grotto, a cascade of real water, and nymphs and fairies dancing.

Then there are the Lady Bell Ringers. A group of five elegantly dressed ladies is seen playing delightful music upon silver bells, with the most perfect time, and in the most accurate manner. Other mechanical toys in this department exhibit dancing dogs, goats, rabbits, a magic drummer, an organ grinder and a wonderful acrobat designated as the mechanical Leotard.

In addition to these attractions for the children, Master Ad. Forepaugh only 8 years of age, will bring out his trained ponies and the elephants. The performances of their young friend are the wonder and delight of the juveniles.

This department of the museum has been the delight of thousands since the season opened, and hundreds more are to be amused by it, and taught how wonderful is the ingenuity of man.

Parents who want to make their children enjoy a few happy hours, should give them a holiday and take them to this department of the museum.

Notice to Strangers.

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OFFICE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, WEDNESDAY, April 25, 1874.

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Cummiskey J H, Culler W H, Cullman P, Cutter P (for), Dyer J (for), Davin Jas, Davies J (for), Davidson J (for), Davis Jas, Dallgonee Mr, Demaza M M, Disbron F A, Downing J G, Donnell J H, Do and Barney, Doyle Jos, Dowler M S, Donnelly J (for), Dooling Jno, Deucher B, Durger Mr, Dwyer Mr, Duddy Geo, Dunlop Wm (for), Edgar Rev Wm, Eris Chas F, Elliott John B, Everett J M, Engel Wm, Farwe J, Farrell Wm, Fenton M J, Ferrell W H, Feldenbacher A, Fitzgerald F, Fitton M H, Fitch Saml, Fisher Fred, Fisher Jno, Fisher W A, Fisher Caspar, Fisher H S, Fleming D F, Fletcher Jno, Foley M F, Ford Wm W, Ford Wm A, Ford Chas 2, Fox Wm A, Franz Adam, Fuller Rev W A, Gardner Westley, Gaines Turner, Gallagher Jno, Gats Geo, Gilesley Pat, Gilligan Geo, Good R W, Gould R S 4, Gesarak Capt H F, Goldsmith H, Graham Mr Alderman, Gray Jno S, Graff Peter, Greenigh G, Griffith R, Griffith Jas, Graff Ed, Green Thos, Green M F, Green Frank, Hammer H B, Harris Henry (for), Harris Jno, Harris E S, Hartman M, Hatton 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DIED.

FITZGERALD—Tuesday morning, at 5 o'clock, at his father's residence, No. 29 Tunnel street, of consumption, Rev. THOMAS FITZGERALD, in the 26th year of his age.

Funeral from St. Paul's Cathedral on THURSDAY MORNING, at 10 o'clock. Solemn Pontifical Mass of Requeim will be said by Right Rev. M. Domenec. The clergy of the Diocese and the relations and friends of the family are invited to attend.

KEOGH—On Monday morning, Miss E. C. KEOGH, in the 30th year of her age.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral on WEDNESDAY MORNING, at 9 o'clock, from the residence of Mrs. M. M. Warde, 130 Fifth avenue. Services at St. Paul's Cathedral.

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PITTSBURGH, April 17th, 1874. apr18:s74

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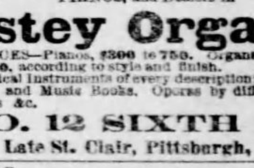

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